

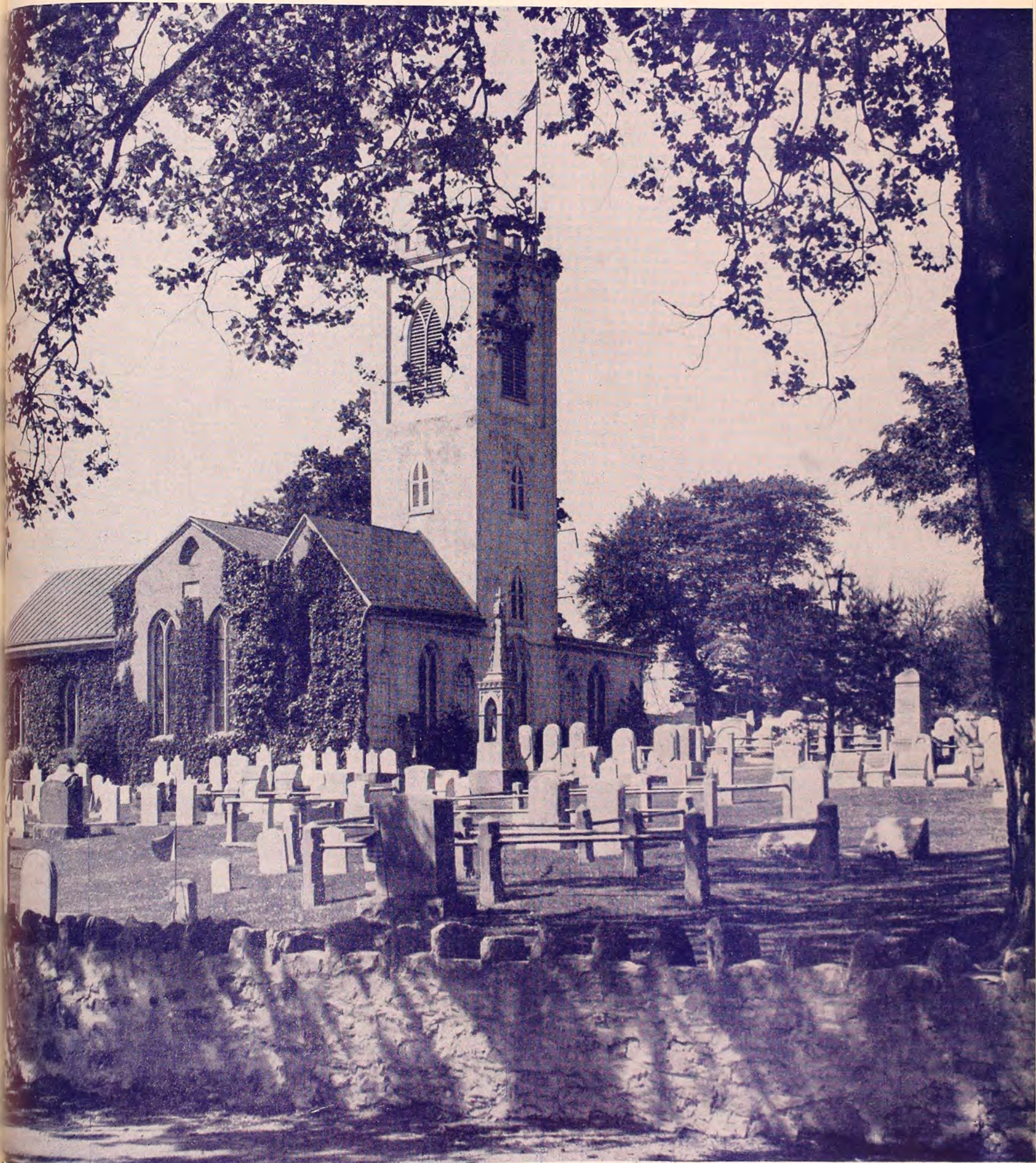
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THE EDITOR'S CORNER

THIS is our swan song until October, when the geese will be thinking about flying south. But in the meanwhile we'll be right here, trying to develop ways to make THE CHURCH NEWS more helpful to more parishes and people and, consequently more interesting to everyone.

And when we have to do all that without spending any more money—well, you can see we have a real job on our hands. National defense is boosting material prices, paper included, so we have to find ways not only to keep from spending more, but to spend even less, if possible.

But we are not looking ahead with any misgivings. We always have found something—a friendly voice, an encouraging letter in the morning mail, some happy human relationship in our work—that more than offsets the headaches, which never are permanent anyway.

We're habituating ourselves to thinking in terms of Forward in Service. We think of service as doing something for someone else. And that brings us to a point.

The Church Mission of Help needs a desk for its Executive Director's office. If you know of one that could be given to help the splendid work this institution is doing among girls, call or write Miss Newman, Church Mission of Help, 2139 Locust Street.

We wish you all a happy summer.



Clergy Changes

BATES, C. M.—New address: 6211 Gardenia Street, Philadelphia.

COLDREN, CHARLES M., JR.—Curate, St. James's, May 1. Address: 132 South 22d Street, Philadelphia.

EHLY, C. F.—New address: Buckingham, Pa.

HURSCH, L. C.—New address: 1828 E. Clementine Street, Philadelphia.

KOLB, J. C.—Chaplain, University of Pennsylvania, 3805 Locust Street, Philadelphia.

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OBJECT 1. To promote Unity of Diocesan Life by disseminating news of the Diocese, its institutions, parishes and missions, and by printing letters and pastorals by the Bishop from time to time. 2. To promote the Missionary and Benevolent Work of the Diocese by publishing reports and appeals, and by recording current news and events.

The 157th DIOCESAN Convention

Annual Legislative Session Marked by Swift Conclusion of Business—Hospital Report Furnishes Most Dramatic Moment

WITH lay representation forfeited by more than 40 parishes, missions and chapels, the 157th Convention of the Diocese of Pennsylvania was called to order by the Bishop in Holy Trinity Church, 19th and Walnut Streets, on May 5. Failure to comply with the requirements in certifying the election of lay deputies, in filing parish reports, or in paying assessments were the reasons cited for the forfeiture.

The business of the Convention moved swiftly and efficiently from the moment the Bishop called the deputies to order on Monday afternoon right up to the moment of adjournment on Tuesday. Credit is given to the Very Rev. James M. Niblo, dean of the Norristown Convocation, who, as chairman of the Committee on Dispatch of Business, was ready at all times to fill every idle minute and forestall needless delays.

The Rev. Richard J. Morris was re-elected secretary of the Convention for his 22d year in that office, and the Rev. Dr. John R. Huggins was named assistant secretary. With the appointment of committees on claims of clergy and laity to seats, the Convention proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year, the secretary casting the ballots for those nominees who were unopposed.

Diocesan Seal

Because of certain errors he believes to exist in the Diocesan Seal adopted in 1906, Francis A. Pocock, a lay deputy from St. James, Perkiomen, addressed the Convention and offered some suggestions for a new seal, which would not only eliminate the alleged errors, but at the same time would make the Seal of Pennsylvania show heraldically the true Apostolic line through which Bishop White was consecrated. A sketch of the proposed seal was reproduced in the May issue of THE CHURCH NEWS together with an article descriptive of its heraldic symbols.

The Convention adopted without a dissenting vote Mr. Pocock's resolution that a committee be appointed to consider a new seal and present its

recommendations to the 158th Convention in 1942.

Reports of the Church Foundation, the Cathedral Chapter and of the Standing Committee were presented by representatives of those bodies.

A resolution to amend the by-laws of the Church Foundation was adopted, making it possible for the membership of the Board of Directors eventually to consist of the Bishop, three clergymen and twelve laymen, instead of the Bishop, six clergymen and nine laymen as it is now constituted.

Forward in Service

The report of the Joint Commission on Evangelism and the Forward Movement by the Rev. Dr. John K. Shryock, co-chairman, was followed by the appropriation of \$200 to the Commission

for expenses in connection with carrying out the Forward in Service program.

The Rev. Canon Earnest C. Earp, D.D., rector of Redeemer, Bryn Mawr, spoke briefly on the Presiding Bishop's ten-year plan, which he described as "an attempt to mobilize the spiritual forces of the Church for the battle that is against us."

"Action releases power," said Canon Earp, "and this is supremely so with spiritual effort. Like the surgeon who lost his sense of sympathy as a feeling, we may find it again as a principle of action."

At the conclusion of Canon Earp's address a recess was taken, and 530 clergymen and laymen crossed Rittenhouse Square to the Penn Athletic Club where they were the Bishop's guests at dinner. Immediately after dinner all returned to Holy Trinity Church for the Diocesan Mass Meeting where approximately 1000 persons from all over the Diocese gathered to hear the Bishop deliver his annual address.

Spiritual vs. Material

The guest preacher was the Very Rev. James P. DeWolfe, D.D., recently elected Dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York. Forward in Service was the keynote of Dean DeWolfe's sermon, which was delivered with all the eloquence for which he is known throughout the Church.

"If we are true to our Christian and American heritage," he said, "it must create in us a divine discontent to let things go on as they are."

Having thus set the stage for his conception of the Forward in Service program, Dean DeWolfe emphasized the "spiritual realities under finite and material things" and declared that we must "realize more and more the significance of the spiritual in the material."

"There is no other use for matter," he declared, "save as a channel for the spiritual."

Looking upon the world situation, Dean DeWolfe attributed the present strife not to Christianity's failure, but to the failure of Christians to recognize spiritual realities, to a lapse in faith.

"Our first test," he said, "is to believe in that we do not see. That is the essence of Christianity. We have never had to suffer persecution for our faith, but I am not so sure that we will not yet have to do so."

A celebration of the Holy Communion by the Bishop, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Franklin Joiner, the Rev. Dr. E. Frank Salmon and the Rev. Peter C. van der Hiel, opened the Convention on Tuesday, May 6. Offerings

Elected

BY CONVENTION

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Rev. E. H. Carhart	Edward Clay
Rev. J. M. Collins	H. W. Jones
Rev. Franklin Joiner, D.D.	W. B. Read
Rev. C. H. Long	R. L. Trescher

from this service and the Diocesan Mass Meeting the night before were devoted to diocesan missionary work.

After a number of minor matters had been acted upon by the deputies a recess was taken for balloting on offices not filled on the previous day.

Jefferies Home Fund

With the Jefferies Home Fund now amounting to \$340,371.96 in principal and accumulated income, Clinton Rogers Woodruff reported that the committee deemed it unwise to establish a home out of the trust on the grounds that so much of the principal would have to be expended to provide an adequate plant that the income from the remainder would be insufficient to support it, and that eventually the enterprise would become a burden upon the Diocese.

The Convention adopted the committee's resolution authorizing the Bishop and the committee, with the help of the Chancellor, to ask the Court to modify the terms of the gift under the will of Elizabeth B. Jefferies so that the income from the trust may be used for the assistance of retired or needy clergymen of the Diocese, such income to be distributed under the direction of the Bishop.

The Rev. William P. C. Loane, reporting for the Committee on Charters, presented the amended charter of St. John's Church, Lower Merion, and the charter of the Church of the Resurrection, Mayfair. Both were approved.

In reporting for the Commission on Rectors' Salaries and Pensions, the Very Rev. James M. Niblo, D.D., made a strong appeal for greater support for the Christmas Fund and scored those parishes which fail to pay their assessments, knowing that the clergy in some other parishes are not receiving what is rightfully due them. He presented a resolution authorizing the commission to assess the parishes for such amounts as may be needed to carry on its work in 1942, the total assessed not to exceed \$16,000. The resolution was adopted.

Changes in Canons

Five Canons were brought before the Convention for amendment by the Rev. Francis C. Hartshorne, chairman of the Committee on Canons. None of the changes was of supreme importance, but all serve a utilitarian purpose, either streamlining the functioning of the Church so that it may better keep pace with the times, strengthening and safeguarding Church properties, or enabling the Church to advance more rapidly in certain phases of its work hitherto neglected.

The Canons so altered are Nos. I, VIII, X, XII, and XVIII.

The Bishop's Message

Annual Report Delivered by the Rt. Rev. Francis M. Taitt, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Pennsylvania, at the 157th Diocesan Convention in Holy Trinity Church, 19th and Walnut Streets, May 5, 1941.

I CANNOT begin my Annual Address without thanking God for the lives and good example of those who, having finished their course in faith, have during the year rested from their labors; and to whom the Church owes so much. They have a special call for our remembrance:

Of Bishops of the Church:

FREDERICK ROGERS GRAVES	JOHN WILLIAM NICHOLS
LEWIS WILLIAMS BURTON	FREDERICK BINGHAM HOWDEN
THEODORE PAYNE THURSTON	BENJAMIN BREWSTER
THEOPHILUS MOMULU GARDINER	

Of Priests of this Diocese:

JAMES FRY BULLITT, Archdeacon of the Diocese	
JOHN BAPTISTE BLANCHET	WILLIAM ROBERTS
CHARLES McLAREN HOWARD	HENRY DAVIES
HARRISON BALDWIN WRIGHT	ARTHUR TRENT HELMS
RICHARD BRIGHT	CHARLES LOCKWOOD FULFORTH

Of Deaconesses of this Diocese:

ELLEN F. HUMPHREYS	JEAN W. COLESBERRY
Of Lay Deputies to the 157th Convention:	
ROBERT J. SKILLEN	

Of Lay Deputies to the 156th Convention:

JOSEPH STELWAGON	HORACE BUDD
FREDERICK EHRENFELD	MAURICE C. NEIPLING
JOHN WAGNER	EDMUND BURKE MCCARTHY
LARDNER HOWELL	

Of Lay Deputies to earlier Conventions:

WILLIAM H. SHOFFNER	JOSEPH LEWIS PHILLIPS
JOHN WALTER MAXWELL	CHARLES KING LENNIG
NEWTON R. TURNER	HENRY W. BUSE
GEORGE H. NAUSS	RICHARD HENRY MORRIS
WALTER LAWRENCE BENEZET	

Of Mission Lay Deputies:

MARTIN C. KNABE, JR.

Of other laymen and laywomen:

GUSTAVUS WYNNE COOK, active and liberal in the Church of Advocate
HENRY T. CULVER
FRANK RUSHMORE WATSON, architect of the Cathedral and other churches in the Diocese
JOHN HENRY GEIL, Church of the Atonement, Morton
JAMES A. G. CAMPBELL, the last member of the Vestry that called me to St. Paul's Church, Chester, in May, 1893
MORRIS WISTAR STROUD, active in years gone by
JAMES M. BENNETT, first Publicity Director of the Diocese
DR. JOSEPH REEVES, who took charge of the church at Spring Lake

EVERY year there are anniversaries and dedications, at which in most cases your Bishop is present and takes part.

On May 23 we celebrated the 25th anniversary of the Ordination to the Priesthood of the Rev. Wm. T. Metz and the 25th anniversary of the founding of St. Gabriel's Mission, of which he has charge.

On June 23 there was the 85th anniversary of the Church of St. John the Baptist, Germantown.

On October 28, the 20th anniversary of St. Giles, Stonehurst.

On January 5, the 25th anniversary of the Rev. Percy R. Brown's rectorship of All Saints Church, Torresdale.

On May 29 I dedicated St. Christopher's Hall for work among the colored people.

On June 22 I dedicated the Bishop Rhinelander Memorial Tablet at the Cathedral.

On September 28 I dedicated the Chapel of St. Michael and All Angels at the Cathedral.

On September 29 I dedicated a new lighting system at Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel in memory of Mrs. Margaret Dougherty.

On October 29 I dedicated the Kline Memorial Infirmary at the House of Rest for the Aged.

On November 14 I dedicated a chapel and altar at the House of Prayer, Branchtown.

On April 29 I dedicated the new home of the Churchwoman's Club and attended its 25th anniversary celebration.

There were dedicated three memorial windows at Christ Church, Upper Merion, one in memory of the Rev. Wm. W. Taylor; one in memory of the Rev. A. A. Marple (both of whom were former rectors of the parish); and one in memory of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Paist. A memorial flagstone path also was dedicated in memory of Mrs. Ella H. Potts.

The organ at the Church of the Incarnation, Drexel Hill, was rebuilt at a cost of \$1600, the money for which has been raised.

* * *

In an apocryphal story of an assembly of Satan and his cohorts, each reported what he had done to destroy Christianity. One rejoicingly said, "I saw a large body of Christians assembled in a church, and I set fire to the building and destroyed them all." Satan cried out in his anger, "Fool, do you not know that in doing that you fixed their hearts upon those things that neither moth, nor rust, nor fire can destroy?" Another said, "I saw a party of Christians in a boat and I called up a storm and all were drowned." Again Satan cried out, "Foolish one, you have taken them out of the world, where temptation might have led them away from God, and have handed them into His keeping." A third one said, "I was at an assembly of Christians and I put them all to sleep," and all Hell resounded with the shouts of joy as Satan said, "Wise one, in this way alone can the Christian lose his soul."

We are endeavoring that the Christians of this Diocese shall not lose their souls by falling asleep. In this report it is hoped that the record of accomplishment, and the opportunities still open, will rouse the drowsy ones, until at length every member shall be a regular contributor both of himself and his substance.

First of all, as the purpose of the establishment of the Church was not simply our own up-building, but making Christ known wherever man is found, it is a joy to announce that we met our promise to the National Council—\$118,810.71—and gave a like sum to the missionary work in the Diocese.

Second, though we are neither numerically nor financially one-tenth of the Church in America, yet when a special call is made Pennsylvania has generally assumed one-tenth of the amount promised by the whole Church. At the General Convention of 1937, when the Church called for \$300,000 to help the starving Chinese, Pennsylvania promised and sent \$30,000 in addition to the regular contribution. At the Convention of 1940 when the Church asked for \$300,000 for the support of the missions of the Church of England, Pennsylvania subscribed \$30,000; but when the funds were collected we sent \$35,984.09 for that object, in addition to the regular contribution. In addition, many churches purchased ambulances and rolling kitchens for Britain. God grant that it may always be thus missionary-minded.

Third, some of the most important laymen of the community are giving large portions of their time to the work of the Church. Our Chancellor, the Hon. Roland S. Morris, is always courteous and prompt in advising the Bishop on legal matters in the Diocese; our splendid

Canon I, providing for the manner in which a parish may become united with the Convention, was repealed and a new Canon substituted for it. The new Canon brings the method of uniting a parish to the Convention in accordance with present-day practice.

Canon VIII was amended to enable a Convocation to have an acting dean when a dean becomes unable because of prolonged illness or absence from the Diocese to carry on his duties. The acting dean may be appointed by the executive committee of the Convocation to serve until the next regular Convocation meeting, when his further continuance shall depend upon the action of the Convocation.

Canon X, Section II, was amended to vest title to "all real estate given to or purchased by or for the mission for Church purposes" in the Church Foundation.

Canon XII, Section II, was amended to further protect mission and parsonage property against encumbrance and alienation.

Canon XVIII was amended by adding a new Section III, which authorized the organization of a corporation to be known as "The Corporation for Religious Work in Educational Institutions," and to be the established agency of the Diocese for promoting and overseeing the work of the Diocese in universities, colleges and schools.

The members of the corporation, chosen from clerical and lay delegates to the Convention, were nominated by the Rev. Chauncey E. Snodden and elected by secretarial ballot. They are Lewis N. Lukens, chairman; Robert L. Trescher, George M. Dall, Charles Platt, Dr. D. Stewart Porter, William Randall, Rev. Charles McIntin, Rev. James H. Jacobson, Jr., and Rev. E. Felix Kloman.

Episcopal Hospital

Easily the most dramatic point in the Convention's proceedings was the report of Episcopal Hospital for 1940, which was read by R. Alexander Montgomery, chairman of the Board of Managers.

Mr. Montgomery pointed out the urgent need of a long-range program for the hospital which would include the necessary replacement of several buildings in the next five to ten years at a cost of between \$1,000,000 and \$2,000,000 and immediate repairs to existing buildings at an outlay of \$150,000.

Operating costs have risen sharply. Mr. Montgomery said, partly as a result of the national defense program. There is a scarcity of nurses, orderlies and mechanics, all of whom are demanding increases in salaries which they can get readily in other

employment. The low standard of hospital wages cannot hold men in the face of high defense wages, he declared.

Food prices and the cost of medical supplies and hospital equipment necessary to keep pace with modern advances in hospital practice also have gone up, said Mr. Montgomery. Expenses can be controlled but not prevented, he added.

In spite of efforts to effect rigid economies the hospital's deficit has been increasing for the last ten years, the report continued. Only once in that period was the hospital "in the black." The deficit for 1940 was \$48,000, which was wiped out by using \$21,000 of undesignated legacies and \$27,000 of principal funds.

Donations from private sources have dropped in the last decade, and free legacies in the ten years prior to 1940 amounted to one-half the deficit.

All attempts to keep operating expenses down cannot keep pace with rising costs, the report said. Income from invested funds is going down and taxes are going up. Operating costs have risen from \$418,000 in 1932 to \$513,000 in 1940. During the same period the operating income of the hospital rose from \$133,000 to \$268,000, and income from invested funds dropped from \$240,000 in 1932 to \$190,000 in 1940.

In 1930 the hospital treated 6100 patients; in 1940, 8100, representing 125,000 patient days. Of that service 24 percent was given free, while 30 percent was paid for at less than the ward rate, among the lowest in Philadelphia hospitals.

The number of births has nearly doubled in five years, and X-ray service has more than doubled, Mr. Montgomery said. He pointed out that the hospital has 530 beds and is comparable in size with Pennsylvania Hospital. The latter institution, however, receives approximately \$76,000 from the United Charities Fund and \$85,000 from the State, while Episcopal Hospital receives no help from either source.

Plainly, Mr. Montgomery declared, the time has come when something in the way of adequate support must be done unless Episcopalians want their hospital to forfeit its Church identity and surrender control to others from whom aid would have to be sought.

As a result of the arresting revelations made in Mr. Montgomery's report, the Convention adopted a resolution, offered by the Very Rev. Granville Taylor, that a committee of two clergymen and one layman representing the Convention be appointed to

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Treasurer is Mr. Arthur V. Morton; Mr. Joshua Ash Pearson, the faithful and efficient chairman of Finance; our devoted Vice-President of the Executive Council, Mr. Spencer Ervin, who spends almost his entire time in the Church House and brings to his labor a trained legal mind, a gentlemanly decorum and a devout spiritual life; not to speak of a multitude of others who, as members of our many departments, do a manful work for the advancement of the Kingdom of God. To these the Bishop feels devoutly grateful and prays God that they may all be long spared to us. I know of no Bishop who has a finer set of clergy and laity.

Christian Social Service and Institutions

Our Department of Christian Social Service and Institutions, under the able leadership of the Hon. Clinton Rogers Woodruff, has been declared by experts to be the best in the country. The Chairman of the Committee writes: "Some years ago Bishop Rhineland called this Department the 'Bishop's Eye' because it always had its eye on social movements and social developments with a view to giving advice or suggestion, as the situation seemed to demand. This is a most important function, especially when the state and national legislatures are in session. When one recalls that there are 1237 bills pending in the House of Representatives and 588 in the Senate, not to mention the several hundred resolutions, some idea of the size of the task may be gathered. There is pending in the present session a Marriage Code, which on the whole is an admirable measure, but it may be so amended as to undo our work of years in requiring the three-day wait between the application for a marriage license and the requirement for a physical examination before the issuance of the license. Among the numerous interests which demand our attention are: Salacious Publications; Refugees; Racial Problems; Parole; Youth in Crime; Recreation for Service Men; Chapels in Penal Institutions; Child Labor; Social Insurance; Prison Reform; Committee on Nominations; Sterilization. Moreover, the Department cooperates with the National Department, the State and City Federations of Churches, and seeks to bring our Church institutions into closer and more effective affiliation."

The Church Periodical Club

When the call came from the newly built "Tucker Lodge," named in honor of our Presiding Bishop, at Shrine Mont, for books for the Library, the Church Periodical Club of the Diocese of Pennsylvania responded with 514 books which represented every parish and mission in the Diocese. One hundred per cent of the parishes and missions responded to this appeal.

Department of Religious Education

Religious Education is one of our most active, valuable and effective Departments. Very large numbers attended our Summer and Winter Conferences. The Department writes: "Our Department is a busy group. Some sixty people are working on the various activities during the year, such as promotion of the Lenten Offering; the great presentation services; the Summer and Winter Conferences; vacation Church schools. The well equipped office and efficient staff are ready to give the visitors worthwhile assistance in their religious education work. Despite many visitors, the Department feels that there are many who do not know of all it has to offer. Therefore, representatives are calling on all the rectors with an exhibit showing materials that are available for use with all age groups. They are also asking for suggestions as to how the Department may be more useful. Our Youth Commission has quickly taken up the program of the United Movement of the Church's Youth which was initiated at General Convention. The response from the young people of the Diocese has been very good. The Church School by Mail has grown during the year: 319 children have been ministered to; 93 of these children were transferred to the nearest Church School as soon as they showed a definite interest and found the means of transportation. The Diocesan Summer Conference at Ursinus College had another good session. I would urge you to send as many of your parishioners as possible for the inspiration and experience, Christian fellowship and knowledge gained."

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*Some of the
Every Member
Canvass
chairmen from
89 parishes and
missions who
attended the
Schwenksville
Conference,
May 17-18.*

*In the front row
is the Rev. Dr.
F. P. Houghton,
leader of the
conference.*

*At his left and
right, respectively:*

Dr. Lewis B.

Franklin, treasurer,

National Council,

and Joseph E.

Boyle, editor,

Forth Magazine.

At extreme left:

Miss Gertrude

Selzer, missionary

to China

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Schwenksville SETS A NEW HIGH

**Enthusiasm of Laymen at Second Annual Conference
Bodes Well for Every Member Canvass**

AT least 89 parishes, missions and chapels in the Diocese of Pennsylvania will have well organized Every Member Canvasses next fall, if the spirit evident at the second annual Laymen's Conference at Schwenksville, on May 17-18, can be used as a barometer for forecasting purposes, for this meeting hit a new high in enthusiasm.

Under the leadership of the Rev. Dr. Frederick P. Houghton, now on leave of absence from his post as Executive Secretary of the Diocese, 101 canvass chairmen and vice-chairmen gathered at the Spring Mountain House for the week-end to discuss with national Church leaders needs, methods and techniques for the Every Member Canvass, which this year will be held from November 9 to 23.

Dr. Lewis B. Franklin, treasurer of the National Council and a foremost authority on Church finances; Joseph E. Boyle, editor of *Forth Magazine* and expert on Church promotion and publicity, and Miss Gertrude Selzer, missionary on furlough from Wusih,

China, presented a well rounded picture of the missionary program and its application to the canvass.

Evidence of Miss Selzer's worth to the conference was the fact that she spoke for more than an hour Saturday evening without once losing the interest of a single listener. And she was kept answering questions about the Church's work and general conditions in China long after her address ended.

Miss Selzer, a graduate nurse, has been through six wars, five of them

in China. She received her baptism of fire in France during the first World War, after which she prepared for the mission field. She has been in China for nearly 20 years.

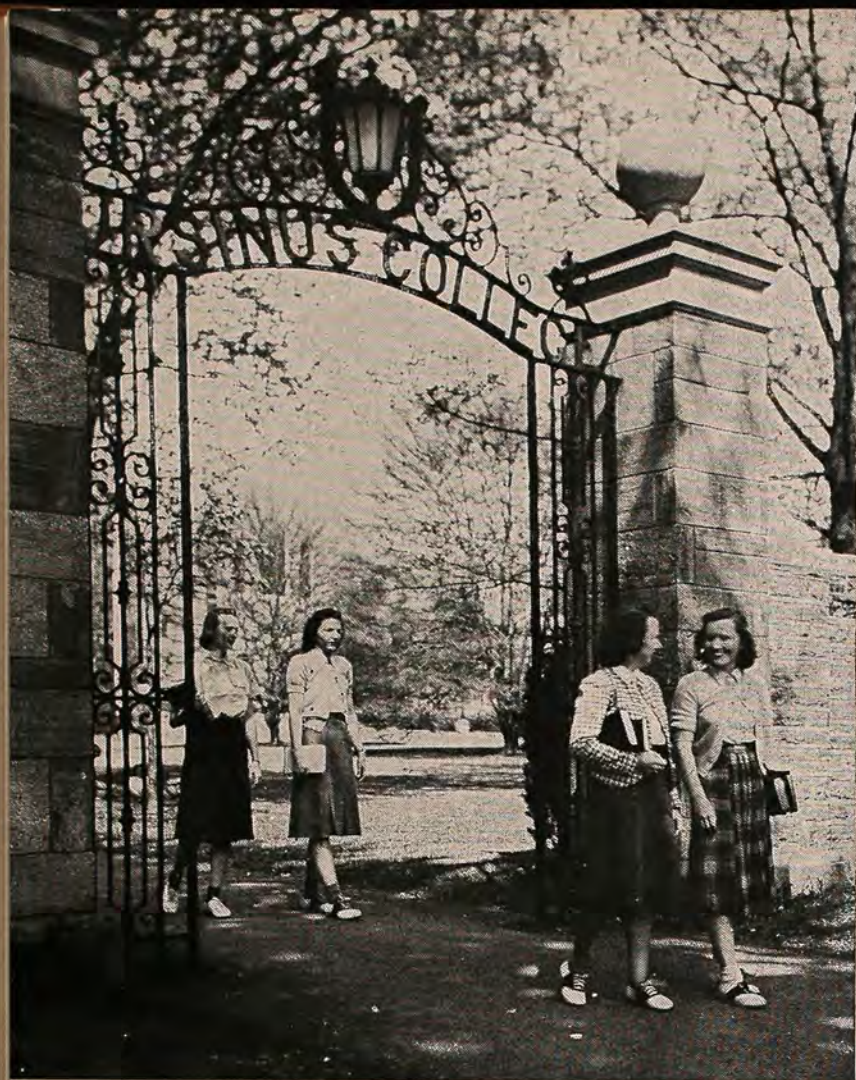
The Bishop sounded the keynote of the conference in his greeting to the delegates when he said, "The vision must not be the dollar. This is not a financial matter, but a religious one. You must inspire people to give. The relations we establish with our fellow Christians count more than money, and there never was a time in the world when what the Church has to give was needed more."

The seriousness of the times was stressed by Dr. Houghton, who expressed the hope that increased employment and higher wages due to the national defense program, together with the growing consciousness of a need for something more enduring than material possessions, might help to awaken a sense of greater responsibility for and to the Church. It is the duty of every Churchman to help

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*The graceful gates
of Ursinus College,
Collegeville,
are opened wide
to welcome
members of the
third annual
Diocesan Summer
Conference,
made popular
by Christian
fellowship
and interesting
study courses*

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Allan Cleaves Dodge

LAST CALL FOR CONFERENCE AT URSINUS

Fine Faculty and Program Ready for Third Year at Collegeville

Another year has rolled around and it's conference time again—Diocesan Summer Conference time—and the broad, tree-shaded campus of Ursinus College, at Collegeville, awaits the arrival of Pennsylvania's young people (16 and up—there's no top limit) on Sunday, June 22, for another six days of Christian fellowship and study. June 27 is the closing day.

Thirty miles from Philadelphia, Collegeville can be reached by motor on Route 422, by Reading Railroad, or by bus from Norristown. The quiet seclusion of Ursinus is an ideal place for the fulfilment of the purpose for which the conference was organized and is being held for the third successive year. It is sponsored by the Department of Religious Education.

The Bishop, who is honorary president, will visit the conference at luncheon on Tuesday.

A faculty of unusual merit has been assembled this year, assuring that the high standard established in the two previous conferences will be maintained. Members of the faculty are:

Rev. Dr. Robert W. Bagnall, rector, St. Thomas, Philadelphia.

Rev. Edmund H. Carhart, rector, St. Mark, Frankford.

Miss Jane M. Welte, teacher, Penn Charter School.

Rev. Charles Martin, assistant headmaster, Episcopal Academy.

Rev. James C. Gilbert, assistant rector, St. Thomas, Whitmarsh.

Rev. Benjamin R. Priest, rector, St. James's, Philadelphia.

Very Rev. Dr. Granville Taylor, dean, Convocation of West Philadelphia.

Rev. Chauncey E. Snowden, rector, St. Paul, Overbrook.

Rev. John R. Crockett, rector, St. Paul, Aramingo.

Rev. Frederick W. Blatz, rector, St. Peter, Philadelphia.

Rev. Dr. E. Frank Salmon, rector, Holy Trinity, Philadelphia.

Mrs. J. Holcombe Genung, sixth vice-president, Woman's Auxiliary.

Rev. T. Norman Mason, vicar, St. Giles, Upper Darby.

Miss Helen McHenry, director, Religious Education, Good Shepherd, Germantown.

Very Rev. N. Herbert Caley, dean, Convocation of Germantown.

Courses listed for the first period (9:50 to 10:40 A.M.) are *What the Church Believes*, *Exploring the Prayer Book*, *Church School Teaching*, *The World of Tomorrow*, and *The Story of the Church*.

Second period (10:40 to 11:55 A.M.)—*Personal Religion*, *Can We Still Believe?*, *Life of Christ*, *The World to Conquer*, *Religious Drama*, and *The Prophets*.

Third period (11:55 to 12:45 P.M.)—*A Study of the New Testament*,

Women in the Forward in Service Program, *The United Movement of the Church's Youth*, *Teachers' Clinic*, and *Music in the Morning Service*.

Special meetings have been arranged for Monday and Wednesday evenings, June 23 and 25, at 8 P.M., for laymen unable to enroll as full time members of the conference. Dr. Lewis B. Franklin, treasurer of the National Council, will be the speaker at these meetings and will address the whole conference Tuesday night. His subject, *Forward in Service*, is completely arresting when presented with the dynamic force he commands. Those attending these meetings may come for dinner and remain overnight, if they desire such accommodations and make reservations.

So far only the highlights of the conference have been touched upon, and not a word has been said about cost. The fee for registration and tuition is \$2.50. Day students who do not take their meals at the conference may take the courses with no further outlay. Room and board for the six days costs \$12.50, making the total cost to the full time student only \$15.

Members of the conference have free access to all the campus facilities, and on the nearby Perkiomen Creek there are canoeing, boating and swimming. Other recreational activities, including athletics, will be under supervision.

The conference is elementary in its scope and is designed to provide training and inspiration for the less experienced in Church matters and to give background to those who wish to attend the Advanced Conference of the Province of Washington at Sweet Briar (Va.) College June 30 to July 11.

Registration should be made in advance—through Mrs. Robert C. Belleville, 3d, Room 30, Church House, 202 South 19th Street, Philadelphia, to whom application also may be made for the necessary blanks and information concerning the conference. Checks should be made payable to Summer Conference, Diocese of Pennsylvania.

The Administration Building at Ursinus will be open at 3 P.M., June 22, for registration of enrollees, assignment of rooms and other details incident to organization. Supper will be at 6:15 P.M. in the college dining hall and the chaplain's opening service at 8 P.M.

Evening programs include Amusement Night (Monday), with C. Paul Ray in charge; quiz contests between boys and girls, and an "Interpreta-

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VALLEY FORGE CALLS

Youth Conference June 29 to July 5

A large group of young people between the ages of 16 and 28 from Pennsylvania and other dioceses in the eastern section of the country is expected again this year at the Valley Forge Conference on the beautiful campus of Valley Forge Military Academy, Wayne.

The academy is sixteen miles from Philadelphia, close to the Lincoln Highway and the Pennsylvania Railroad, in one of the most attractive suburban settings in the metropolitan area.

Under the direction of the Rev. William P. S. Lander, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rosemont, an excellent faculty has been organized with the Rev. William S. Chalmers, O.H.C., as chaplain, and the Rev. Reginald Mallett, of Baltimore, as dean. Others on the faculty are Rev. Gordon B. Wadhams, New York City; Rev. Dr. Howard M. Stuckert, House of Prayer, Philadelphia; Rev. Harvey D. Butterfield, St. Luke's, Germantown; Rev. Albert J. DuBois, Washington, D. C.; Rev. S. Whitney Hale, Boston; Rev. H. Bonnell Spencer, Jr., O.H.C.; Rev. Frank Damrosch, Jr., St. Paul's, Doylestown; Rev. James L. Whitcomb, Hoosick, N. Y.; Rev. Sewall Emerson, Norwalk, Conn.; the Misses Mary Frances Bemont and Caroline R. Irwin and a Sister of the Holy Nativity. The Rev. Dr. Franklin Joiner, of St. Clement's Church, is a member of the executive committee.

Courses planned include *The Holy Eucharist*, *The Eucharistic Life*, *The Prayer Book*, *Christian Reunion*, *From the Altar—What and How*, *Is It a Sin?*, *How to Pray*, *The Spiritual Life*, *The Servants of Christ the King*, *Church Music*, *Church Pageantry and Drama*.

Enrollment for the various courses should be made on blanks provided. These may be obtained at Church House, or by writing to Fr. Lander at Rosemont, Pa. The total cost of registration for the week, including room and meals, is \$17. Special rates are provided for day students. Registrations should be returned before June 25.

The conference will not be all work and no play. Ample provision has been made for wholesome recreation and athletic games on the baseball field, the tennis courts and the swimming pool. Planned evening programs

*One of the
beautiful
colonial buildings
at Valley Forge
Military Academy,
Wayne, scene of
another
Valley Forge
Conference
for young people
of the Church*

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include dancing, a costume party and a general good time. Fr. Whitcomb will be athletic director, and Fr. Emerson and Miss Irwin will serve as counselors to boys and girls, respectively.

A regional youth rally on the afternoon and evening of July 4 will mark the climax of the conference, which ends the following morning.

Dinner reservations for guests on that day must be made by July 2. The cost of the dinner will be 60 cents.

The daily schedule of the conference begins with Holy Communion in the Academy's chapel at 7:30 A.M., followed by breakfast at 8:15. Classes begin at 9:15 and continue to 12:45,

which ends the working period of the day. Lunch at 1 P.M. is followed by a half-hour rest period. Recreation is listed for 2:30 to 5 P.M. Dinner at 6:30 P.M. follows a half-hour song service, and the chaplain's hour begins at 7:30 P.M. The evening program gets under way at 8:30 and is followed by compline at 9:45 P.M. "Lights out" comes at 10:30, and that's the end of the day.

Those enrolling for the conference are instructed to bring with them their own Prayer Books, Bibles, note books, pens and pencils, bathing suits, tennis racquets, sneakers, raincoats, toilet articles, towels, musical instruments, costumes for the party and light blankets.

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tion, Please!" stunt with members of the faculty as experts (Wednesday); and on Thursday night a pageant presented by the class in Religious Drama.

Officers of the Conference, in addition to the Bishop and Mr. Martin, are the Rev. Harvey D. Butterfield, executive officer; Rev. William P. C. Loane, administration; Miss Dorothy Scott, counselling; Mrs. Marmaduke Tilden, finance; Rev. J. Jarden

Guenther, publicity; Mrs. Robert C. Belleville, 3rd, registrar.

The daily schedule will be:

7:30 A.M.—Holy Communion
8:00 A.M.—Breakfast
9:15 A.M.—Chaplain's Half Hour
9:50 A.M. to 12:45 P.M.—Classes
1:00 P.M.—Luncheon
2:00 P.M.—Rest Period
3:00-5:00 P.M.—Recreation
3:00-4:00 P.M.—Church Music Programs
5:00 P.M.—Special Interest Groups (Choir and Pageant Rehearsals, W. A., Y. P. F., G. F. S., Altar Guild, etc.)
6:15 P.M.—Dinner
7:15 P.M.—Sunset Service
8:00 P.M.—Evening Program
10:30 P.M.—Quiet

Editorials

A CALM CONVENTION

THANKS to the chairman of the Committee on Dispatch of Business this was one of the smoothest-running conventions in many years; the machinery never jammed, the wheels never wobbled, everything rolled along as on a well-policed road—as conventions should do. Congratulations to Dean Niblo and his able assistants!

But while business moved along in S. K. F. style, it always ran in low gear; there were no moments of tense excitement, no thrills of uncertainty, no hairpin corners turned, and, except for one or two persons with impaired hearing at the rear of the church, no one edged forward in his pew for fear of missing anything. In the course of years, so many matters which used to cause heated discussion in the Convention have been handed over to the Executive Council to consider and settle that the work of the Convention is now largely to set the stamp of its approval on what has already been accomplished by the Council, and to absorb what that body has thoroughly digested for it.

This system has both good and bad results. On the credit side it has made it possible to complete the business of the Convention much sooner and, on the whole, more satisfactorily; but on the debt side it must be blamed for the loss of public interest in the Convention and the absence of any real debate on the floor. Even when some of the most important business was being transacted the galleries were empty, except for a pretty girl knitting for the British and a clergyman who found it more interesting there than on the floor. The laity like debate, nothing interests people so much as a conflict, verbal or physical—as the newspapers so well know. Now, except when the Bishop delivers his address, no one in the Diocese pays much attention to the Convention or bothers to attend. How different from the early centuries of the Church when there were so many more bishops than now, and when, according to Gibbon, their conventions were often rough-and-tumble affairs to which the laity flocked to hear the debate, to applaud their favorite preacher, and to shout the Latin equivalent of “We want Ambrose” or “We want Hilary”—usually getting what they wanted. Those were the days!

Once, however, this Convention did reverse a decision of the Executive Council. It was decided by a large majority to take out of the hands of the Council the work at our colleges and to entrust it to a new corporation to be formed for that specific purpose. In such an important educational center as Philadelphia the work of this corporation will be extensive and difficult. Once in a while

the problem of defending and propagating Christianity among college students has been easily solved by eloquent preachers, as John Henry Newman solved it at Oxford, Phillips Brooks at Harvard and Harry Emerson Fosdick in part at Columbia. But usually more than one man has to be enlisted, and this new corporation doubtless will enroll the best that can be secured and employ the most modern methods to further their work. Surely everyone wishes them success.

In a day when, to use our Lord's words, “upon the earth there is distress of nations, with perplexity; men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth,” it is good to find some calm and placid eddy, like this Convention, where business flows along untroubled by the turbulent rapids elsewhere in the stream of our national life.

HOW TO HELP THE HOSPITAL

ONE of the most stirring speeches at the Diocesan Convention was Mr. R. Alexander Montgomery's appeal for the Episcopal Hospital. Never before has the declining condition of some of our property at Front Street and Lehigh Avenue been so realistically faced and so courageously presented. In the old buildings, decay, wear and tear and all the other ravages of time have made it absolutely necessary that extensive repairs and renovation be made this year if we are to keep the hospital in the class where it belongs and enable it to continue the distinguished and honorable service it has been rendering to Philadelphia for four score and nine years.

That is going to cost money. So the parishes must give more. Why wait till the week before next Thanksgiving Day to prepare for our offering? If our Sunday Schools didn't work six weeks on their mite box offering but delayed till Palm Sunday to begin, their Easter offering would be a mite indeed. Our parishes should begin now to talk about a worthy Thanksgiving Offering for the hospital.

And, by the way, why not a Hospital Sunday instead of a Hospital Thursday? Might not a Sunday in November bring in more money than a Thursday?

At any rate, begin now. You who love the hospital put aside something as often as you can from now until next Thanksgiving Day so that our hospital may be saved. It is the glory of the Episcopal Church in this Diocese. Let not this generation fail it. What a pity that it can truly be said that the dead are doing more for the hospital than the living.

Divinity School Graduates Six In Annual Commencement

Six young men who have chosen the sacred ministry as their vocation marked the completion of their seminary studies on June 5 when they received their diplomas from Bishop Taitt in the annual commencement service of the Philadelphia Divinity School in St. Andrew's Collegiate Chapel.

Four students also received degrees of Bachelor of Theology. Certificates were awarded to two special students, and two others received degrees of Master of Theology.

Only one honorary degree was conferred—that of Doctor of Canon Law. The occasion crowned for the recipient, the Rev. Francis C. Hartshorne, a devoted ministry of nearly a half century in which his talents and activities as chairman of the Diocesan Committee on Canons and as executive vice-president of the Church Foundation have made him outstanding.

Dedication of a new Remington-Lodge electronic organ, given to the seminary by a group of friends, was a high point in the service, which was attended by many alumni and other friends of the school and the student body.

The commencement address was delivered by the Rev. Dr. E. Clowes Chorley, rector emeritus of St. Philip's Church, Garrison, N. Y. His successor as rector, the Rev. William M. Sharp, was among the alumni at the service.

The commencement exercises marked the climax of a two-day program, much of which was devoted to activities of the Associated Alumni. A recital on the new organ preceded the graduation rites.

DIPLOMAS CONFERRED

PETER R. BLYNN, Philadelphia
WILLIAM R. BROWN, 3d, Philadelphia
JOHN R. CHISHOLM, Kansas
WILBUR E. HOGG, JR., Plainfield, N. J.
F. GRAHAM LUCKENBILL, Washington, D. C.
WENDELL B. TAMBURRO, Upper Darby

DEGREES IN COURSE

Bachelor of Theology

PETER R. BLYNN F. GRAHAM LUCKENBILL
JOHN R. CHISHOLM FRED D. JOHNSON

Master of Theology

HARVEY M. LYTLE FRED D. PENTZ

HONORARY DEGREES

Doctor of Canon Law

REV. FRANCIS COPE HARTSHORNE

The William Ellis Scull Prize was awarded to Lloyd Russell Foster, of North Tonawanda, N. Y., a junior. A ciborium was presented to the school by F. Graham Luckenbill on behalf of the graduating class, of which he is president.



Its windows marked by flower boxes, 1919 Walnut Street, new home of the Churchwoman's Club, strikes a homely note in the block. The house, assessed at \$27,200 and purchased through Barber, Hartman & Co., was blessed by Bishop Taitt on April 29, when more than 300 persons visited it and inspected its attractively renovated and furnished rooms

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Dr. E. M. Jefferys Recovering

Friends of the Rev. Dr. Edward M. Jefferys, former rector of St. Peter's, Philadelphia, and for many years president of the Standing Committee, are rejoicing that he is recovering from his recent illness. Dr. Jefferys is at his home in Chestnut Hill, where he is busy at several projects, including some genealogical studies and a work on St. Paul.

Diocesan Day . . .

Diocesan Day at the Cathedral, 8622 Ridge Avenue, Upper Roxborough, will be held on Saturday, June 21, when an all-day program of especial interest to Episcopalians all over the Diocese will begin with a service in St. Mary's Chapel at 11 A. M. The Bishop will be present. The grounds will be open to all who wish to bring picnic lunches. Refreshments also will be served by Deaconess Newbold at the Cathedral House.

EIGHT ORDERED DEACONS IN SEMINARY CHAPEL

Eight candidates for the diaconate were presented to Bishop Taitt at ordination rites in St. Andrew's Collegiate Chapel, Philadelphia Divinity School, on Saturday, June 7. Only three of the new deacons have been assigned to work in this Diocese.

The ordination sermon was delivered by the Rev. Dr. E. Frank Salmon, rector of Holy Trinity Church, 19th and Walnut Streets, and the choral parts of the Communion Service were sung by a choir from St. Clement's Church.

The ordinands, their presenters, and the places to which they have been assigned are:

Rev. George C. Ashley—Rev. John W. Norris, of St. Luke's, Bustleton—To Chapel of the Mediator.

Rev. Christopher J. Atkinson, formerly of Church Army—Rev. N. B. Groton, St. Thomas', Whitmarsh—To Emmanuel, Quakertown.

Rev. Peter R. Blynn—Rev. Dr. Franklin Joiner, St. Clement's—To St. Peter's, Morristown, N. J.

Rev. William R. Brown, 3d—Rev. David C. Colony, St. Luke's, Kensington—No assignment.

Rev. H. Lester Mather—Rev. William O. Roome, Jr., Messiah—To Incarnation, Philadelphia.

Rev. Peter M. Sturtevant—Rev. Edmund H. Carhart, St. Mark's, Frankford—To Grace, Amhurst, Mass.

Rev. Gerhard C. Stutzer—Rev. John Craig Roak, Gloria Dei (Old Swedes)—To Salisbury, N. C.

Rev. Wendell B. Tamburro—Rev. T. Norman Mason, St. Giles, Upper Darby—To Grace Church, Jamaica, L. I.

Mr. Atkinson has had charge of Emmanuel Mission, Quakertown, for several years, so that his assignment there merely represents a change in his status. Mr. Mather also has been working at Incarnation during the last year. He will continue there until his graduation from seminary next year. Mr. Stutzer, also a "middler" at the Divinity School, may complete his seminary training nearer to his new work in the South. Mr. Sturtevant is a graduate of Virginia Theological Seminary.

The Rev. David O. Trauger, of Good Shepherd, Kensington, and the Rev. Charles A. Elliott, of St. Andrew's, West Manayunk, who were ordered deacons last year, will be ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Taitt in the Bishop's Chapel, Church House, on June 24, the Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist. Both were graduated from Philadelphia Divinity School a year ago.

A YEAR of PROGRESS in Church Music

By the VERY REV. N. HERBERT CALEY

Dean, Convocation of Germantown;
Chairman, Diocesan Music Commission

Efforts of Diocesan Board to Elevate Musical Standards Focuses Eyes of the Whole Church on Pennsylvania

THE editors of THE CHURCH NEWS have requested the Commission on Music to give a resume of its work during the season just past, and it is glad to do so.

The Commission organized after its reappointment, following the Diocesan Convention of 1940, by electing the Rev. N. Herbert Caley chairman; H. William Hawke, organist and choirmaster of St. Mark's Church, Philadelphia, secretary; and Robert H. Cato, organist and choirmaster of old Christ Church, treasurer.

During the year the Commission held two series of conferences in St. Mark's parish house on general subjects of interest to choirmasters, and it has just finished a third course, the last dealing with the management of and repertoire for junior or auxiliary choirs. Demonstrations were made by the Young People's Choir of St. Matthew's Church, under the direction of Miss Roma E. Angel, and by the Auxiliary Choir of Grace Church, Mt. Airy, under the direction of Newell Robinson. We owe a debt of gratitude to both these choirs. All these courses were, as usual, exceedingly well attended.

The annual Volunteer Choir Contest was held last November in St. Matthew's Church. Several choirs competed for the Bishop's Plaque, the winning choir being that of St. Nathanael's Church, which holds the plaque until the next contest.

Because Harold W. Gilbert, who has ably edited the music page of THE CHURCH NEWS for many years, finds it impossible to continue to do so because of the press of other duties, the Commission has been requested to take over the work and will do so beginning with the October issue.

At General Convention in Kansas City last October the Commission conducted a booth of Church music under the supervision of the chairman. At

this booth it had on display books on many phases of Church music, as well as a large exhibit of service music and anthems. It had for distribution lists of choral and organ music, which were in great demand. Phonograph records of the choral service, Anglican chanting and plainsong, anthems, canticles and music for the Holy Communion proved of great interest and help to the many persons who listened to them.

In addition to all that there were conferences with 207 persons from 36 States, the District of Columbia, Alaska, China, Honolulu, Mexico and the Virgin Islands. These conferences covered a wide variety of subjects connected with the music of the Church, and many different problems were discussed.

The booth opened many avenues by which it was found the Commission could be of assistance not only to our own Diocese, but to the Church at large, for the Church is looking more and more to Pennsylvania for guidance and leadership. For example, there came from many of the clergy requests for a list of music, organ and vocal, suitable to be used at weddings, inasmuch as some of the compositions frequently heard, such as "O, Promise Me," "Because," and the like, are not only uncanonical but definitely in bad taste. A committee is now preparing such a pamphlet.

A number of clergy and choirmasters asked for lists of hymns and anthems suitable for Sundays in the Church year and appropriate for the special teachings of those days. Another committee is working on these and hopes to have them ready for distribution before very long.

Several requests were made from all sections of the country for recordings, demonstrating proper methods of singing plainsong and Anglican chants as well as service music and anthems,

for use at choir rehearsals to assist the choirmaster in the better preparation of the music in his parish. A committee is at work on this, and we hope, with the approval of the Joint Commission, to supply such records as are needed.

These are just a few of the ways in which the Commission has been called upon to assist the General Church as well as our own Diocese, and they are mentioned to give some idea of the work it is doing.

In our own Diocese probably the most important part of the Commission's work for the last several years has been consideration of the problem of the choice of music for parishes and missions with small musical resources. It is here that the greatest difficulty arises in appraising either what is being done or what ought to be done, on account of the lack of proper training on the part of the choirmaster and organist, or the entire absence of musical knowledge on the part of the clergyman. It is true that the clergyman often is desirous of having only what is best, yet he frequently is unable to judge sufficiently in the matter. Then, too, he wants to keep the choir in a happy frame of mind and the criticisms of the congregation to a minimum.

There is no doubt that a considerable distinction must be made between the music which is suitable for services in the large parishes with their well-trained choirs, and that which is suitable for services of the particular group mentioned before. A service of the simplest kind can be inspiring and reach quite as high a level musically, artistically and devotionally as is in any way reached by the aid of choirs of wealthy parishes. The Commission feels this cannot be too firmly emphasized. And its members believe, with the Archbishop's Committee of the English Church, that, "with a view to improving all congregational music, the first need of the moment is a fearless revival and vigorous use of natural unison singing. . . . It will no doubt be objected by some persons that unison singing is dull; but this is not the case. Provided that good music is chosen, and the choir and congregation put their hearts into it, unison singing is satisfying to a degree which can only be realized by experience."

The choice of music for the churches of this group has often in the past presented great difficulties. But there is plenty of available material, and lists of anthems and settings of canticles which the Commission can recommend will gladly be sent to anyone upon request.

The GIRLS' *Friendly* SOCIETY

By MADELEINE T. SPIESS
National Vice-President-at-Large

Thrilling Events of the 55th Anniversary Are Past, and a New Year of Activity Calls the Membership to Continued Service

FOUR HUNDRED G. F. S. members and their friends, including a good representation of the clergy, attended the banquet which brought to a close the 55th anniversary celebration of the diocesan society on Saturday evening, April 26, at the Broadwood Hotel.

In addition to the speakers, honored guests at the head table included the Rev. B. Janney Rudderow, chairman of the Youth Commission, Province of Washington; Mrs. Edward Ingersoll, president of the diocesan Woman's Auxiliary; the Very Rev. Frank W. Bonyng, dean of the Convocation of South Philadelphia, and Mrs. Bonyng; the Very Rev. Percy R. Stockman, dean of the Convocation of North Philadelphia, and Mrs. Stockman; the Rev. William J. Dietrich, Jr., rector of Calvary, Germantown, home of the oldest G. F. S. Branch in the Diocese; Miss Mary A. L. Nielson and Miss Margaret C. Maule, former presidents of the diocesan G. F. S., and Miss Bertha Bennett and Miss Melinda Ashworth, representing the present membership.

Another distinguished guest was

Miss Amelia Bennett, charter member of the first branch in the United States, formed in 1877 at St. Anne's Church, Lowell, Mass.

Mrs. Percy G. Hall, diocesan president, was toastmistress and brought the congratulations and good wishes of Bishop Taft, who was unable to be present.

A series of tableaux, depicting progressive stages in the life of the G. F. S., was presented under the direction of Mrs. Hubert S. Foster, Branch president of St. Mary of the Annunciation. The audience joined in singing the songs accompanying the tableaux, so that they had a part in the presentation. The music was planned by Mrs. David D. Wood. The whole was admirably planned and directed, and the applause indicated that it was a real hit.

Mrs. Harold E. Woodward, of St. Louis, national president of the society, won many friends by her beauty, charm and enthusiasm for the place of the G. F. S. in the life of the Church. Dr. Douglas V. Steere, of Haverford College, who recently returned from Europe where he had

been working as a member of the American Friends Service Committee, brought the program to a thoughtful close by his heart-moving story of "A European Journey." It was well to challenge young and old with the knowledge of conditions far removed from that gay banquet hall, and Dr. Steere led the group in spirit across Europe, from starving Spain to brave little Finland, struggling now to rebuild some of its old life in a ravaged and depleted land. Moved deeply by his burning words, the G. F. S. will make some contribution towards the fund for vitamins now being raised by the American Friends Service Committee for Finnish children.

It was announced at the banquet that \$400 virtually had been raised under the auspices of the Senior Members Club for the gift to Britain of a mobile kitchen trailer, one of those swiftly moving little vans of refreshment and aid which go from place to place in the bombed and devastated areas to minister to the homeless and hungry.

The Diocesan Council meeting on May 22 marked the close of Mrs. Percy G. Hall's administration as diocesan president. It is a source of great regret that she felt unable to serve a second term, for which she was eligible and for which she had been nominated. Mrs. Hall has brought to the Friendly a fine spirit of service; a sympathetic understanding of the Younger Member group to whom she gave a new measure of opportunity and voice in diocesan affairs; and she was especially interested in the interpretation of today's G. F. S. to the clergy and the Church's other organizations. Her emphasis upon leadership training conferences, which she did much to promote, is in line with

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Left to right: Rev. B. Janney Rudderow, Mrs. Harold E. Woodward, national president of the G. F. S.; Mrs. Madeleine T. Spiess, new diocesan president; Dr. Douglas V. Steere, guest speaker; Miss Margaret C. Maule, national treasurer of G. F. S., and the Very Rev. Frank W. Bonyng, dean of South Philadelphia Convocation, at the 55th anniversary dinner at the Broadwood Hotel on April 26

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The YOUNG PEOPLE'S *Fellowship*

By JEAN H. SPARKMAN
Chairman of Publicity

Annual Convention and Provincial Conference Result in Constitution Revision and Renewed Zeal to Really Go Forward in Service

THIS has been Convention month for the Young People's Fellowship. First to hold the spotlight was a Diocesan Convention. This was followed two weeks later by a Provincial one.

Holy Apostles Church, 21st and Christian Streets, was the scene of the annual Diocesan Convention of the Young People's Fellowship on April 26.

The convention officially opened with a business meeting called to order by the president, William Todd, Jr. The Rev. Arthur Murray, chairman of the executive council, led the group in prayer.

Reports on the year's work were given by committee chairmen and convocation chairmen.

The committee on constitution revision presented the revised form for adoption. Each revision was read and voted upon separately and then the constitution was accepted as revised.

The most important item of business confronting the convention was the election of officers. This year the election was held in accordance with the constitutional amendment adopted last year—that each officer should be from a different convocation. The following were elected: president, Edward D. Potter, Northwest; first vice-president, Leonard Calloway, Chester; second vice-president, Horace Richter, West Philadelphia; secretary, Sophie Boon, Central; and treasurer, Walter Spathelf, Northeast.

At 5 P. M. a vesper service and installation of officers took place in the church with all our clergy advisors participating. The Rev. William P. C. Loane played the organ; the Rev. J. Aubrey Cragg read the prayers; and the Rev. Arthur Murray installed the new officers.

The Very Rev. Granville Taylor, D.D., Dean of West Philadelphia Convocation and co-rector of Holy Apostles Church, delivered an inspiring

address. He compared the Church to a ship and referred to St. Paul's advice during the storm at sea, "Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved." "Some people today," he said, "say the Church is sinking and are therefore leaving it, not realizing that the only way they can be saved is to follow Paul's advice and stay with the ship."

Continuing, Dr. Taylor said the only thing that would bring new life to the Church was for youth to take more responsibility, give their loyalty and obedience, and pledge allegiance to the Cross and the Church for which it stands.

"One of the greatest things we can do," he said, "is to bring up younger people into the way of our Lord so that they will be of value to the Church and the community."

In closing he gave us two points to remember: 1) The Church is the hope of the world; 2) You are the Church.

At 6:30 P. M. our banquet began and was interspersed with singing. After dinner we had a few short speeches from our advisors, important friends, and new officers. These in turn were followed by our speaker of the evening, the Rev. Canon George I. Baldwin, who said that people showed the types of leaders they were following and that to make a good

leader these two things were needed: 1) A soul in tune with God; 2) A genuine interest in people.

Canon Baldwin considers this definition of the Church, as given by one of the boys he has helped, just about perfect: "The Church is the divine living organism extending from God through Jesus Christ manward for the purpose of bringing man Godward."

After Canon Baldwin's talk came the time for awards. Mr. Murray, chairman of the executive council, presented the first award to William Todd, Jr., retiring president. Next came the Youth Awards, presented each year for outstanding work among young people. The clergy award went to Canon Baldwin for his work among boys. The laywoman's award went to Miss Isabel Krauth, advisor of the Fellowship at Calvary, Germantown. Recipient of the layman's award was one of our past presidents, Lewis Worrell, of St. Paul's, Chester.

On the lighter side were the Batchelor Club Awards made by the new president, Edward Potter. Three loving cups were presented as follows: To the Y. P. F. of St. Paul's, Chester, for having the largest number of pretty girls at the convention; to Kay Marr, of St. Ambrose, adjudged the prettiest girl at the convention; and to Ray Ollis, of Calvary, Germantown, adjudged the handsomest boy at the convention. Knockers were then presented to Joseph Lee, Phyllis Rath, Gordon Bradley, Albert Buchanan, Jean Sparkman, William Todd, Jr., Margaret Young, Mr. Murray, Mr. Cragg and Canon Baldwin because of some amusing idiosyncrasies.

Dancing concluded the convention. There were 128 persons present, representing 33 Y. P. F.'s. The Convocation of West Philadelphia had the largest number there—33—but Central ran a close second with 32.

The seventeenth annual conference and convention of the Young People's Fellowship of the Province of Washington was held at Shrine Mont, Orkney Springs, Va., from Thursday, May 8, to Sunday, May 11. The theme of the conference was *Go Forward in Service*. Approximately 180 attended, 50 of whom were from the Diocese of Pennsylvania.

Registration began Thursday afternoon. The only scheduled activity was a social get-together in the evening. At breakfast the following morning William C. Hendrix, provincial president, challenged us to make this the best conference ever, especially along spiritual lines, and told us that we should equip ourselves to

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Paid in Full . . .

Cause for celebration was completion of the Diocesan Y. P. F. project to raise \$500 for Episcopal Hospital. A check for the full amount was presented at the annual meeting of the Northwest Convocation on Sunday evening, May 25, at Grace Church, Mt. Airy.



Part of the great throng of more than 4000 worshippers at the presentation of the Children's Lenten Offering at Episcopal Academy on May 18

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The DEPARTMENT of RELIGIOUS *Education*

4000 Children and Adults Thrilled by Beauty of Outdoor Service for Presentation of \$37,627 Lenten Offering

MORE than 4000 children and adults attended the great diocesan service for the presentation of the Lenten Offering on May 18. Held on the

beautiful grounds of Episcopal Academy on a perfect spring day, it thrilled and inspired those who took part and those who looked on.

Junior choirs from all over the Diocese came together to make one great choir of 900 voices. Walking four abreast it took fifteen minutes for the procession to reach the chancel. They made a beautiful sight in their many-colored robes, as, led by processional crosses and banners, they came down the vine-bordered steps onto the field and up the aisle to the altar, singing *The Church's One Foundation, Saviour, Blessed Saviour*, and other well known hymns.

Those who read the service were the Rev. Charles Martin, chairman of the Department of Religious Education; the Rev. J. Wesley Twelves, rector of Epiphany, Germantown, and the Rev. Dr. Edgar C. Young, vicar of Phillips Brooks Memorial Chapel.

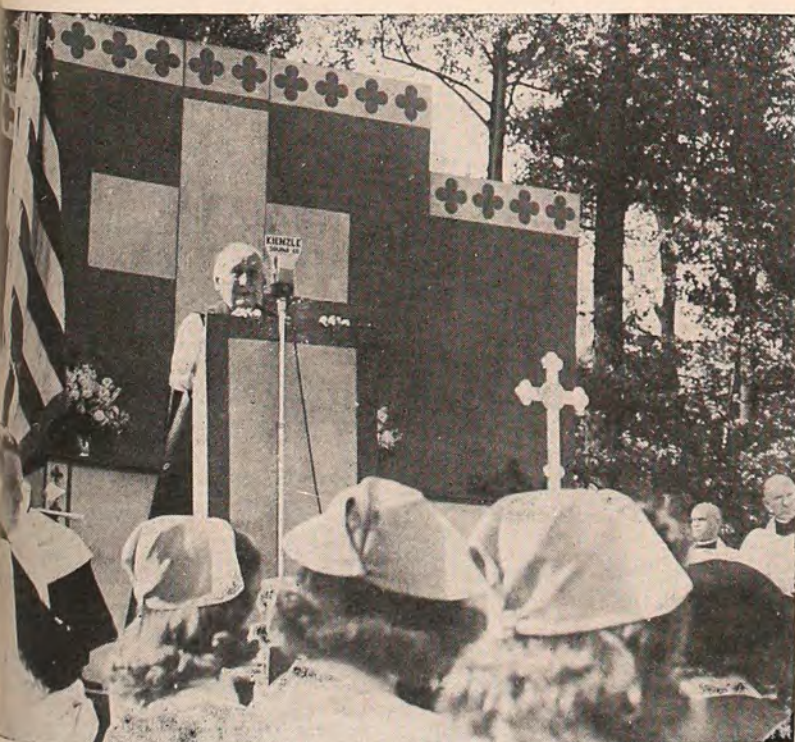
The Bishop gave a short talk and received the Lenten Offering, which was presented symbolically by a member of each Parish bringing forward a card bearing the amount of its offer-

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The Bishop made a short address before the offering was presented.

The altar and reredos were made by the Rev. J. Wesley Twelves

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Looking Ahead

Attend a summer conference!
Help someone else attend a conference!

Call Church House for programs and information about scholarships.

June 22-27—Diocesan Summer Conference, Ursinus College, Collegeville.

June 16-22 and June 23-27—Woman's Auxiliary Conference, Orkney Springs, Va.

June 30 to July 11—Advanced Conference of the Province of Washington, Sweet Briar (Va.) College.

July 14-19—Provincial Summer Conference for Colored Church Workers, Lawrenceville, Va.

June 29 to July 5—The Valley Forge Conference for Young People, Valley Forge Military Academy, Wayne, Pa.

ing. These cards were received at the chancel steps by the Deans, who passed them to the Bishop, who in turn presented them at the altar during the singing of the Doxology. The Lenten Offering at the time of the service amounted to \$37,627.03, with some Church Schools not yet heard from.

The missionary address was delivered by the Rev. Nathanael B. Groton, who used a big poster to illustrate his talk. On one side was the word, "Mite," and on the other, "Might." He made very vivid how individual offerings in the small mite boxes became a mighty offering when all were combined. He then showed how this worked out in other ways in our lives.

Boys from Episcopal Academy served as ushers and helped in many ways to prepare for the service. The Boy Scout troop from St. Barnabas, Kensington, set up the 1500 chairs and took them down again.

The red and gold altar and reredos were made by the Rev. J. Wesley Twelves. It stood out beautifully against a background of tall trees. Mr. Twelves, chairman of the Church School Commission of the Department of Religious Education, the members of his commission, and others enlisted to help, were responsible for this service. They are to be commended for the time and thought they so lavishly spent in its preparation.

measured, and yet are more real than things which can be measured.

Still it is necessary to form some idea of how the plan is going, and a few general statements may be made. In not a single instance has a failure been reported, and the clergy are unanimous that where the Roll Call has been made it has proven worth while. In some parishes, where the situation has been favorable, the rectors report that they have never seen such enthusiasm among their people, and that the project is the most successful undertaking in the history of their respective parishes. In all parishes, valuable results have been achieved.

So far, on May 20, only a few more than one third of the parishes and missions have reported, and many of these reports are incomplete. This is inevitable, in view of the shortness of the time. It seems worth while, however, to publish the names of the parishes and rectors reporting, with the understanding that a more complete list will be published in the first fall issue of THE CHURCH NEWS. The Joint Commission will appreciate having its attention called to any mistakes in the list.

The following parishes report having had the Roll Call, or its equivalent, or being now engaged in it:

PARISH OR MISSION	RECTOR OR VICAR
All Saints, Crescentville.....	J. A. Cragg
All Saints, Moyamensing.....	J. E. Hill
All Saints, Wynnewood.....	Gibson Bell
Calvary, Conshohocken.....	S. R. West
Christ, Philadelphia.....	F. S. Kloman
Christ, Upper Merion.....	J. H. Lamb
Christ and St. Michaels.....	W. H. Aulenbach
Epiphany, Sherwood.....	W. N. Parker
Good Shepherd, Rosemont.....	W. P. S. Lander
Grace, Mt. Airy.....	C. E. Eder
Grace, Philadelphia.....	J. K. Shryock
Holy Comforter, Aronimink.....	A. E. Clattenburg
Holy Sacrament, Highland Park.....	W. H. Fryer
Holy Trinity, Philadelphia.....	E. F. Salmon
Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel.....	B. J. Rudderow
Home of Merciful Saviour.....	J. K. Shryock
Huntingdon Valley Chapel.....	W. Walker
Incarnation, Philadelphia.....	J. K. Shryock
Mediator, Philadelphia.....	Granville Taylor
Messiah, Philadelphia.....	W. O. Roome, Jr.
Prince of Peace Chapel.....	J. P. Morris
Redeemer, Bryn Mawr.....	E. C. Earp
Resurrection, Mayfair.....	S. D. Ringrose
St. Ambrose.....	R. C. Hubbs
St. Asaph, Bala.....	R. T. Lyford
St. Bartholomew, Philadelphia.....	J. S. Gillespie
St. Bartholomew, Wissinoming.....	J. R. McGrory
St. Clement.....	Franklin Joiner
St. George, Ardmore.....	F. E. Seymour
St. George, Philadelphia.....	W. I. Edwards
St. James, Hestonville.....	J. M. Weber
St. James, Prospect Park.....	P. R. R. Reinhardt
St. James the Less.....	C. J. Harriman
St. John the Baptist.....	R. E. Conrad
St. John, Cynwyd.....	M. B. Curley
St. John the Evangelist.....	H. C. McHenry
St. John Free.....	J. H. Lever
St. Jude and the Nativity.....	J. L. Saunders
St. Luke, Newtown.....	L. Sasse, III
St. Mary, Ardmore.....	J. G. Armstrong
St. Michael, Yeadon.....	F. Williamson, Jr.
St. Paul, Chester.....	G. C. Anderson
St. Paul, Doylestown.....	F. Damrosch, Jr.
St. Peter, Great Valley.....	C. Cresson
St. Peter, Phoenixville.....	W. H. Anthony
The Saviour.....	D. W. Gateson
Transfiguration.....	G. C. Meckling
Trinity, Ambler.....	W. F. Lutz
Trinity, Gulph Mills.....	C. Cresson

The following parishes expect to hold the Roll Call later:

PARISH OR MISSION	RECTOR OR VICAR
Advent, Hatboro.....	L. J. Sachs
Advocate.....	T. L. Gosling
All Souls for the Deaf.....	H. J. Pulver

THE ROLL CALL AND REDEDICATION

First Step Forward in Service Produces Enthusiastic Reports

PEOPLE throughout the Diocese desire to know how effective the first step in the Presiding Bishop's Forward in Service program has been. There has been an enthusiastic response, and splendid results, many of which are apparent, already have been achieved. But it is difficult at this time to make an adequate report upon the undertaking, for three reasons.

The plans set forth by the National Commission were intended to be suggestive rather than rigid. It was necessary to adapt them to local situations and needs. Consequently there has been considerable variation among the diverse parishes in the ways in which the plan has been carried out. Central city parishes, whose people live far from the church, or in apartments, could not approach the problem in the same way as suburban parishes, whose people live in homes near the church. Some parishes sent out the literature and made the appeal by mail. In a few, the visitations have been made by the clergy. The number of messengers varied from one or two in small places, to more than a hundred in such large congregations as Redeemer, Bryn Mawr and Mediator, West Philadelphia. Several parishes

held Rededication Services without taking a Roll Call, while some already had the information requested on the Record Cards.

It is difficult also to estimate results because many parishes have not yet completed the first step. The program was announced to the Diocese shortly before the beginning of Lent, and in some parishes it was impossible to rearrange the parish programs at so late a time. A number of parishes will not be able to hold the Roll Call until the early fall, while others are only getting under way now. Therefore any report made at present will be incomplete.

But the last difficulty is the greatest. We insist, in religion as in other things, on trying to measure things that cannot be measured. The really important results of Forward in Service are not amenable to statistics and may not be apparent for a long time. At the Home of the Merciful Saviour for Crippled Children every child enrolled in Forward in Service, and their rededication cards were presented at the altar. Old ladies at the Home for Incurables have sent in their pledges to Bishop Taft. It is obvious that such things cannot be

Atonement, Philadelphia.....J. M. Collins
 Christ, Eddington.....A. F. Gibson
 Christ, Pottstown.....G. A. Lineker
 Emmanuel, Kensington.....L. C. Hursh
 Holy Innocents, Tacony.....H. W. Gernand
 Holy Trinity, Lansdale.....M. M. Garcia
 Holy Trinity, West Chester.....J. A. Wintersteen
 Redeemer, Seamen Church Institute...P. R. Stockman
 Resurrection, Philadelphia.....Arthur Murray
 St. Aidan, Cheltenham.....H. B. Satcher
 St. Christopher.....P. R. Stockman
 St. James, Bristol.....G. E. Boswell
 St. John, Norristown.....J. M. Niblo
 St. Luke, Bustleton.....J. W. Norris
 St. Luke, Chester.....F. B. Hornby
 St. Luke, Eddystone.....F. B. Hornby
 St. Mark, Frankford.....E. H. Carhart
 St. Martin, Radnor.....R. H. Gurley
 St. Mary, Hamilton Village.....W. B. Stimson
 St. Michael and All Angels.....T. W. S. Logan
 St. Nathanael.....G. R. Miller
 St. Stephen, Clifton Heights.....G. W. Barnes
 St. Timothy, Roxborough.....E. B. Wood
 Trinity, Swarthmore.....J. J. Guenther

The following parishes have found it impossible to carry out the plan, even partially. This is usually because these parishes felt that they already had carried out the equivalent of the first step:

PARISH OR MISSION	RECTOR OR VICAR
Calvary, Northern Liberties.....	J. O. Martin
Calvary, Rockdale.....	R. Kemp
St. Mary, Wayne.....	H. C. Mitchell
St. Matthew, Francisville.....	C. H. Reese
St. Paul, Elkins Park.....	P. J. Steinmetz

This report is far from complete. Many parishes, from which reports had not been received when this article went to press, have held the Roll Call. It is hoped that a fuller report may be made later.

St. Simon the Cyrenian Chapel To Mark Two Anniversaries

The 47th birthday anniversary of the Chapel of St. Simon the Cyrenian and the 32d anniversary of the Rev. Dr. John R. Logan's vicarship will be celebrated jointly at special services on Sunday, June 22.

At the 10:45 A. M. service the Rev. Dr. John H. Johnson, of St. Martin's Chapel, New York City, will be the anniversary preacher. The Clericus, an organization of Negro clergy, will take part in the Evensong service at 4:15 P. M. at which the Rev. Adolphus E. Henry, of St. Matthew's Church, Wilmington, will preach. Mr. Henry formerly had charge of the work at Ascension Mission, West Chester.

The combined anniversary celebration will reach its climax at a party in the parish house on the evening of the actual anniversary, Tuesday, June 24, when the Bishop is expected to be present.

St. Simon the Cyrenian Chapel, a part of Holy Apostles parish, is the largest of all the colored congregations in the Diocese, having a communicant strength of more than 1000. Dr. Logan has been its vicar since 1909 and has devoted all but the first five years of his ministry to the work there. He is assisted now by the Rev. John R. Logan, Jr., one of two sons in the Church's ministry.

*Four pretty nurses,
 Harriet Gutknecht,
 Eleanor J. McNaul,
 Miriam Krajicek
 and Mildred Lewis—
 displayed
 for the Bishop
 their best smiles
 and the toys at the
 Occupational
 Therapy Booth
 at Episcopal
 Hospital's
 May Fete
 on May 28*

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181ST ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION PLANNED

Christ Church (Old Swedes') Is Last Free Link with Swedish Lutheranism

[Illustrated on Cover Page]

The congregation of Christ Church (Old Swedes'), Upper Merion, believed to be the only Episcopal congregation in the United States technically under the jurisdiction of the Lutheran Archbishop of Sweden, will celebrate the 181st anniversary of the dedication of its church building on Sunday, June 22, when the Very Rev. James M. Niblo, dean of the Convocation of Norristown, will be the guest preacher. The rector, the Rev. James Hart Lamb, Jr., will conduct the service, which begins at 10:45 A. M., and will dedicate a new memorial window.

Established by Gloria Dei (Old Swedes') together with its sister parish, St. James, Kingsessing, Christ Church was dedicated on June 25, 1760. The union of the three Swedish churches was dissolved in 1843. Soon after the dissolution Gloria Dei and St. James, Kingsessing, came into union with the Convention of the Diocese of Pennsylvania. Christ Church, however, retained its original charter as "The Swedish Lutheran Congregation of Christ Church, Upper Merion," under which it elects its vestrymen on the first Saturday and its rector on the second Saturday of May each year.

As a consequence of this retention of its Swedish Lutheran identity, Christ Church, Upper Merion, has no lay representation in Diocesan Convention, although its rector has both seat and vote as a member of the clergy of the Diocese. Likewise the parish is not assessed for Convention and Diocesan Expense or for Rectors' Sal-

aries and Pensions, its only diocesan assessment being for Support of the Episcopate.

Mr. Lamb, who became rector 15 years ago, is the 11th Episcopal priest to be elected by the congregation since the Rev. Nicholas Collin, last of the missionaries sent from Sweden, relinquished his rectorship of the three Swedish churches in 1831 after 45 years of service. Mr. Collin was succeeded by the Rev. John C. Clay, first Episcopal rector of the parish.

In answer to an oft repeated question, "How did the Swedish churches become Episcopalian?" it may be said that when the communities served by the Swedish churches became predominantly English-speaking, the congregations wanted English-speaking rectors. They found no English-speaking Swedish ministers available, and, since the Episcopal Church had the same Apostolic succession as the Swedish Church, their choice of Episcopal ministers was the natural one.

The window to be dedicated at the anniversary service is the eighth memorial window installed in Christ Church since Mr. Lamb became rector. Three of them perpetuate the memory of former rectors, the Rev. Nicholas Collin, the Rev. A. A. Marple and the Rev. William W. Taylor.

The latest window, given by the senior warden, Dr. George W. Miller, in memory of his father, George W. Miller, depicts the last three scenes in

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Many clergy of the Episcopal and other communions joined with the congregation of Phillips Brooks Memorial Chapel in honoring the Rev. Dr. Edgar C. Young and his family at a reception in the Chapel on May 20 in commemoration of his 25th anniversary as vicar. The anniversary services were held on May 4. Left to right: Rev. E. Sydnor Thomas, St. Barnabas, Germantown; Rev. S. H. White, Croom, Md.; Rev. Dr. H. P. Jones, Mother Bethel A. M. E. Church; Louise and Dorothy Young, Mrs. Young, Dr. Young, Rev. Dr. E. Elliot Durant, St. Ambrose, New York; Rev. Dr. Robert Tabb, Crucifixion, at the reception

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Rev. George R. Miller Plans To Retire on September 15

The Rev. George R. Miller has announced his intention to retire from the active ministry and has tendered his resignation as rector of St. Nathanael's Church, Allegheny Avenue and E Street, to become effective September 15. He has been in charge there for 38 years.

Graduated from Philadelphia Divinity School in 1895, he was ordered deacon in 1896 and priested a year later by the late Bishop Whitaker. While still a seminarian he established St. Stephen's, Norwood, and after his ordination became rector of Calvary, Rockdale, where he built the present rectory.

At Bishop Whitaker's request he took charge of St. Nathanael's, then a mission, in 1903. During his ministry there he raised the money to build the present church and an addition to the parish building, and saw the mission become an independent parish, free of debt. He established St. Gabriel's Mission, which remained under his charge for several years.

Four men from his parish have entered the ministry, were presented for ordination by him, and are serving in this Diocese. They are the Rev. George B. Krantz, Jr., All Saints, Darby; Rev. W. Hamilton Aulenbach, Christ Church and St. Michael's; Rev. William Powell, St. Faith's, Brookline, and Rev. Leonard J. Sachs, Advent, Hatboro.

Canons . . .

of the Diocese of Pennsylvania, as amended by the 157th Convention, can be purchased in Room 22, Church House, 202 South 19th Street, at 50 cents a copy.

Dr. Toop to Retire October 6; Dean Taylor Will Succeed Him

The Rev. Dr. George H. Toop, for 27 years rector of the Church of the Holy Apostles, 21st and Christian Streets, has announced his plan to retire on his 68th birthday, October 6. Although he will then have attained the accepted retirement age for priests of the Church, failing health in the last year has hastened his decision to take the step. He is on leave of absence, but he expects to return in September.

Under the terms of his election as co-rector of the parish some time ago, the Very Rev. Granville Taylor, D.D., vicar of the Chapel of the Mediator and dean of the West Philadelphia Convocation, will automatically succeed to full rectorship.

As rector of Holy Apostles and its several chapels, Dr. Toop has been for more than a quarter of a century the spiritual leader of some 4000 communicants, including the largest white congregation and the largest Negro congregation in the Diocese—Mediator and St. Simon the Cyrenian chapels—whose combined memberships total more than 3100.

Rev. C. Herbert Reese Reports For Military Duty as Chaplain

The Rev. C. Herbert Reese, rector of St. Matthew's, Francisville, since 1919, has been granted leave of absence to re-enter active service as a chaplain in the United States Army at Fort Meade. He holds the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

Col. Reese went to France in the World War as chaplain of the 360th Regiment, rose to the post of chief chaplain of the 90th Division and was cited for bravery in action. His orders called for him to report at Fort Meade on May 23.

When he announced in the meeting of the North Philadelphia Convocation that he was called back into military service, prayers were offered for his safety and the success of his ministry to the soldiers under his spiritual charge.

St. John's, Concordville, Plans Fair and Patriotic Rally

A country fair and patriotic rally will be held on the grounds of St. John's Church, Concordville, on Flag Day, Saturday, June 14. The 239-year-old parish will place on display its pewter Communion vessels, presented by Queen Anne, and other historic relics. The P. R. R. train leaving Suburban Station at 1:23 P. M. (Daylight Time) will be met at Wawa by automobiles to take visitors to the church. Other trains available leave Philadelphia at 4:38 P. M. and 6:45 P. M. Trolleys will be met at Media at 3 P. M. and 6 P. M.

The Spring Convocations

North Philadelphia

The appointment of an archdeacon to have supervision of the Church's missionary work among the foreign born in the Diocese was recommended in a resolution adopted at the spring meeting of the Convocation of North Philadelphia at the Church of the Advocate, 18th and Diamond Streets, on May 13.

Embodied in the resolution was acceptance of a report presented by a special committee, headed by the Rev. E. Felix Kloman, which stressed a need for re-allocating work among the Negroes in the convocation because of the rapid spread of the Negro community in that section of the city.

"Drastic changes in the number and placement of churches and missions must be made," said the report, "if

the Episcopal Church is to accomplish what it should in offering the people of the convocation opportunity to worship and work, and if the Episcopal Church is to minister to the community, and if it is to properly use for Christ its manpower."

At the dinner following the business meeting the Bishop and Mrs. David W. Clark, of Fort Thompson, S. D., were the speakers. Mrs. Clark described the Church's work among the Sioux Indians on the Crow Creek Reservation, where her husband, the Rev. David W. Clark, is a missionary. The Very Rev. Percy R. Stockman, dean, presided.

West Philadelphia

The low per capita giving by Episcopalians for support of the mission-

ary work of the Church was decried by the Bishop in an informal address before clergy, laymen and women of the West Philadelphia Convocation at Calvary Church, 41st Street above Brown, on May 15.

"If every one of the 78,000 communicants in the Diocese would give in proportion to his means, Pennsylvania could really do the work it ought to be doing," said the Bishop. He added a strong appeal for better support of Episcopal Hospital, "the noblest institution in the Diocese."

The Bishop spoke at the dinner following the business meeting of the convocation at which the Rev. Arthur C. Moore, vicar of the Negro congregations of St. Cyprian and St. Monica, was elected secretary to succeed the Rev. Mark M. Garcia, now in charge of Holy Trinity, Lansdale. Guests at the dinner included Mrs. Francis R. Packard and Mrs. J. Hector McNeal.

Other elections included that of Walter M. Kalmey as convocation treasurer; the Rev. William I. Edwards, of St. George's, Philadelphia, and Rayburn T. Lake, of Redemption, Philadelphia, as representatives to Executive Council; the Rev. David Holmes, of St. Andrew, West Philadelphia, and Alan Hanson, of Epiphany, Sherwood, to the executive committee.

The Very Rev. Granville Taylor, dean, appointed the Rev. Dr. John K. Shryock and S. Wharton Haney to the executive committee; Mr. Hanson, Joseph F. Baile and the Rev. James M. Collins, property committee; and C. J. Cutting, Mr. Kalmey and the Rev. John M. Weber, finance committee.

After much discussion of a suggestion to relocate St. Monica's Mission as the center of Negro work in the southern part of the convocation, a proposal to name a committee to study the situation and make recommendations at the October meeting at St. Paul's, Overbrook, was adopted.

By unanimous action of the delegates the January meeting was eliminated, since it was felt that the executive committee could carry on the business of the convocation in the interim between the October and May meetings, each of which will be preceded by a quiet day for the clergy, as was this one.

The Rev. Dr. Arthur Lee Kinsolving, rector of Trinity Church, Prince-

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*The Rev. Dr.
Charles E. Eder
(left)*

*congratulates
his successor, the
Very Rev. N.
Herbert Caley,
upon his
election as dean
of Germantown
Convocation
in St. Luke's,
Bustleton,
where his father,
the late Dr.
Llewellyn N.
Caley, was
elected dean
13 years earlier.
Dr. Eder served
as dean for
nine years*

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New officers of the Auxiliary photographed with the Bishop after induction at Penn Athletic Club on April 29. From left: Mrs. Marmaduke Tilden, Mrs. J. Holcombe Genung, Mrs. Francis R. Packard, Bishop Taitt and Mrs. A. Disston Rile

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ENVELOPED in an atmosphere of understanding and helpfulness, which had been growing silently and steadily for many months, delegates to the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Branch, Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council, met in Holy Trinity Parish House, 217 South 20th Street, on April 29, to hear the year's work summarized and to choose their new officers.

Mrs. Francis R. Packard, for the last three years custodian of the United Thank Offering, was unanimously elected to succeed Mrs. Ingersoll as president. Other officers chosen were Mrs. Marmaduke Tilden, first vice-president; Mrs. J. Holcombe Genung, sixth vice-president, in charge of promotion, and Mrs. A. Disston Rile, U. T. O. custodian to succeed Mrs. Packard. A testimonial to Mrs. Ingersoll was read by Mrs. John E. Hill.

Other highlights of the meeting, which began promptly at 10:30 A.M. and was marked by its smooth progress, included Sister Mary Kathleen's report on the League of Intercessors; the adoption of Pennsylvania Branch, Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, as the full title of the organization; the announcement of \$54,881.71 as the total contributed in the last year, including the United Thank Offering's \$27,786; and Mrs. Ingersoll's words in closing the meeting:

"If it had not been for your loyal support and the acceptance by every one of you—officers and members—of all our plans, the work reported

New Diocesan Officers

PRESIDENT

Mrs. C. Wm. Spiess, National Vice-President-at-large

VICE-PRESIDENT-AT-LARGE

Mrs. Edmund B. Wood, Branch President and Candidate leader at St. Timothy, Roxborough

SECRETARY

Miss Rose Gutmann, former Chairman of Activities, Diocesan G. F. S., and member old St. Paul's, meeting at City Mission

TREASURER

Miss Elizabeth Beatty, of Resurrection, Phila.

DISTRICT VICE-PRESIDENTS

Germantown—Miss Anna H. Denniston, Branch President, Calvary, Germantown

North Philadelphia—Mrs. Hubert S. Foster, Branch President, St. Mary of the Annunciation, and Candidate Leader, St. Martin, Oak Lane

South Philadelphia—Mrs. George Shaw, Associate, St. Peter, Philadelphia

West Philadelphia—Mrs. Elmer Van Dusen, Associate, St. Barnabas, Haddington

Bucks County—Miss Gladys A. Harper, Candidate Leader, St. Andrew, Yardley

Schuylkill Valley—Mrs. William N. Lanigan, Branch President, St. John, Norristown

today would never have been possible, for it is not the officers nor the program, but the woman back in the parish that is the Auxiliary. These are great days in which our Presiding Bishop tells us our Christian witness can save the world. God grant that we may in all humility, yet in the conquering might of love and faith, meet this challenge in the days at hand."

The final session, at luncheon in the Penn Athletic Club, also gave much for thoughtful women to take away. The announcement of the elec-

tions was accepted enthusiastically, and a few moments later the blue velvet curtains behind the speaker's table parted and a lovely altar, the portable type used by army chaplains, appeared. At the altar the Bishop inducted the new officers.

Mrs. Ingersoll then turned the meeting over to Mrs. Packard, whose face, alight with enthusiasm, kindled a ready spark in the breast of every woman present. Mrs. Packard said:

"From my heart I thank you for the confidence you are giving me and for the privilege of sharing with you this work for the spread of Christ's Kingdom. When I first heard that there was a possibility Mrs. Ingersoll might not continue, I was more disappointed than I ever have been. I felt she was the 'perfect president,' and there was never a moment when she was needed more. Having her was something for which to say a prayer of thanksgiving and to remember the Blue Box. When I was asked to accept the nomination, I was crushed. I felt that I was not in the least fitted for the work and couldn't do it.

"The answer to my prayer for guidance came when someone said, 'The next three years are going to be the most difficult the Church has had to face in generations.' It was a challenge. I said, 'With God's help I am willing to try.'

"Let us not have any illusions. Let us prepare to answer the Presiding Bishop's call to go Forward in Service, not just giving of ourselves and our substance what is left over, but in a spirit of sacrifice. Let us make the women's work for the Church so worth while, let us do it with such joy and enthusiasm that others will realize what a privilege it is. Let us cooperate with all women with all our hearts so that we may present a splendid unity, a united front."

Mrs. William H. Jefferys, Educational Secretary, presented \$1,146.42 as the mission study offering. Part of this offering will be used to send a married couple to work among the migrants of New Jersey this summer; the rest goes to the Discretionary Fund of Bishop Tzu, of Shensi, China.

Miss Grace Lindley, former national executive secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, provided the final "plum

Auxiliary Department

M. SAMUEL P. FELIX
Solicity Chairman

An Appreciation...

THE members of the Pennsylvania Branch, Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council, and of its Executive Board desire to express their appreciation of the splendid leadership of Mrs. Edward Ingersoll during her three years as president. Her vision of her task and her selfless and untiring devotion to it have endeared her to the entire membership. Truly she has led us Forward in Service.

in the pudding" with her crystalline presentation of the meaning of witnessing.

"We have had three slogans," said Miss Lindley, "*Witnesses to the Power of God, Forward in Service, and Go Forward in Service as Witnesses to the Power of God.*"

"What is a witness? Our Lord planned that His work should be done by witnesses—those who see or know by personal experience—and He spoke of the twelve Apostles being chosen, instead of the multitude, to carry His message. A witness of the Resurrection was chosen to fill Judas' place.

"What evidence can we give of the power of God? It is what we are, as well as what we see and believe, that makes our testimony powerful. Groups as well as individuals in Christian homes can give this evidence. The home is the unit of democracy. If Hitler could see the Christian Church in the world really united and using God's power, it would terrify him more than anything else.

"We must go deeper into the personal experience of being witnesses of and to the power of God. We want to go forward in service because our world is waiting for its redemption. It is good to measure ourselves and our relation to God now and then. Find ways of being quiet this summer. Use the Sacrament and the Bible and fellowship as the means of knowing God better. We have a living leader, a contemporary Christ who says, 'You are my witnesses'."

Mrs. A. Disston Rile,
new U. T. O.
custodian,
and Mrs. Francis R.
Packard,
new Auxiliary
president,
give a report
of their work
to Bishop Taitt
before the altar of
old Christ Church
at the presentation
of the United
Thank Offering
on May 1

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Mrs. Francis R. Packard grew up in a parish where there was no Woman's Auxiliary. Later she moved into another parish and attended Christ Church Chapel. At the insistence of her rector she represented the chapel at a meeting of the Diocesan Domestic Committee and learned, to her utter astonishment, that she was interested and thrilled, rather than bored, as she had expected to be. Soon elected vice-president, and subsequently president of the parish branch, she spent nine years in Domestic Committee work.

During the last triennium, she was custodian of the United Thank Offering, and it has been a source of pride to her that the Diocese has maintained its leadership in that great work.

Mrs. Packard's only hobby is her farm, Three Walls, near Media, which she runs because no one else will. In the city she lives at 304 South 19th Street. She has four daughters and four granddaughters. Her busy life has not diminished her graciousness and serenity, and her sincerity and selflessness, the shining beauty of the Christian ideal which radiates from her, have made her beloved wherever she is known.

League of Intercessors Report for the Year

In the fourteen years since the League of Intercessors was organized in this Diocese, its membership has grown to 816, with 50 parish chair-

men who visit and correspond with their individual members, sending them Forward booklets, World Day of Prayer leaflets, birthday, Christmas and Easter cards, motto calendars and the Bishop's special Christmas letter.

The Rev. Benjamin R. Priest opened the first meeting of the fall on September 20 with a Corporate Communion in the Bishop's Chapel, using prayers for the isolated and those who had died during the year. In his helpful address, he said, "There are many movements known through the press and the radio, but the League is one not so known. Many people do not know you exist, yet your work is of the greatest importance in these troubled times. Many who are hopeless and hysterical are asking, 'What's the use; there's nothing to do about it.' It is a serious time when people get discouraged. We as Christian people can build a better world than is now being destroyed. We get this comfort in our Church, but these people whom you visit are not able to find it there. They have newspapers and radio which often undermine their faith. You go to them with the Church's literature and prayers and put hope back into their lives and help them to hold on to God."

We regret the resignation, owing to ill health, of our chairman, Deaconess Alice Nutter, who, though obliged to



Mrs. George Woodward (left) chats with Mrs. David W. Clark, of Ft. Thompson, S. D., her guest of honor at a Dogwood Time Tea at her beautiful estate, Krisheim, Chestnut Hill, on May 9. Mrs. Clark spoke on Indian work

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give up active Church work, is carrying on a vital spiritual ministry with the patients in Harrison Home. The resignation of Miss Julia E. Hill was regretfully accepted, but we rejoice that she is now able to expand her field of usefulness in the Church.

At the November meeting, Mrs. Biddle appointed Sister Mary Kathleen, S.H.N., to fill the unexpired term of Deaconess Nutter.

There have been six meetings this season, counting the one on May 27 and a devotional service during Lent. All meetings begin in the Bishop's Chapel, when intercessions for the sick, troubled, and the departed, whose names have been sent in by the various chairmen, are offered, and a short meditation is given by the chairman.

The League is financed by the Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary and individual contributions. We have aided Miss Dorothy Kohl in her work in the Church School by Mail, paying for three scholarships to provide lesson material for three children. Many Auxiliaries have given scholarships, but many more are needed to provide for the 233 children now enrolled.

Help us with your prayers, your contributions; attend our meetings, always scheduled in the WOMAN'S AUXILIARY NEWS and THE CHURCH NEWS, and you will be more than repaid by the prayers of our many intercessors.

SISTER MARY KATHLEEN, S.H.N.,
Chairman

Mrs. Ingersoll Plays Hostess At Executive Board Lunch

The Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary was entertained at luncheon on May 20 by the retiring president, Mrs. Edward Ingersoll, at her home, "Springhouse Farm," Penllyn. After the luncheon, which was served out of doors, a special board meeting was held at which the new president, Mrs. Francis R. Packard, presided. Mrs. Packard presented a gift to Mrs. Ingersoll from the members of the board, with an expression of affection and appreciation for the devoted service Mrs. Ingersoll has given during the last three years. Mrs. Packard announced the appointment of Mrs. Ingersoll as custodian of the Book of

Remembrance and as the representative of the Woman's Auxiliary on the Woman's Interdenominational Union of Philadelphia and vicinity.

The appointment of Mrs. Samuel P. Felix as publicity chairman and Mrs. U. Grant Beath as chairman of the Educational Conference to be held October 29 and 30 was announced.

On account of illness Mrs. Edward O. Coates was granted an indefinite leave of absence as president of the Domestic Committee, and Mrs. John Samuel was named to take her place, while Mrs. William B. Stimson was chosen to head the Diocesan Committee.

The Board voted to cooperate in publishing a College Work Calendar, which would include dates of all Woman's Auxiliary activities. The calendar will be sold for the benefit of diocesan work of the Auxiliary. Mrs. Felix was named chairman, and Mrs. Ingersoll and Miss Julia E. Hill were appointed members of the committee responsible for the calendar.

Church Periodical Club

We understand that many parishes are soon to set up Forward in Service Councils that will plan and guide a Unified Parish Program. The Church Periodical Club is qualified to help in this work by starting in our own parishes with literature and going out through community, diocese, nation and world in the spheres of devotional life, missions, education, social service and gifts.

The simplicity of much of the service possible through C. P. C. keeps it from the attention of those who could and would render it. Much of the work of the C. P. C. is particularly adapted to young people — packing and tying of books; delivering magazines to institutions; making scrapbooks, posters, paper dolls and stuffed calico animals for children in hospitals, and many other pleasant tasks.

The following quotation shows how one man's support was won for missionary work: "There was a vestryman who systematically voted down the apportionment because he disliked missionary work. One day a C. P. C. secretary asked him if he would send his copy of THE GOLFER regularly to a man. He was willing, and a regular correspondence ensued. Later, while travelling, the vestryman stopped off for a game of golf with his new friend and learned he was a rural missionary.

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Junior WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

By MARJORIE HEIM
Publicity Chairman

WE wish to thank Miss Ray Phillips and her committee for the splendid and efficient management of our recent card party, which netted a substantial profit for Christian Social Service work. There already has been disbursed \$75, and it is hoped more can be allotted later. The beneficiaries so far are:

Episcopal Hospital (Special Project) ..	\$40.00
House of Rest for the Aged.....	5.00
Deaconess Marian Brown, Wyoming ..	5.00
Eliz. Price Martin League for Service, Phila. General Hospital Unit.....	10.00
Provincial Project of the Woman's Auxiliary (St. Timothy's Hospital)	5.00
Woman's Auxiliary Mission Study Of- fering	10.00

It was pleasant to have so many of our friends at the card party, and our thanks go to members of the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, to the Young People's Fellowship and to all the others who helped to make the affair such a success.

10th Annual Dinner

ANNOYED by those who see in youth only the future of the Church, Miss Emily Wilson, field secretary of the National Youth Commission and principal speaker at the tenth annual dinner of the J. W. A. at Kugler's on May 21, declared that one purpose of the United Movement of the Church's Youth was to create a consciousness that young people are a part of the Church of the present.

"Youth are part of today," said Miss Wilson in a soft Georgia accent, "and the Church needs their vigor and enthusiasm."

Miss Wilson was an adequate substitute for the Rev. Frederick H. Arterton, Secretary for Youth, National Council, who was too ill to fill the engagement. Her topic was *Witnesses to the Power of God through Fellowship*.

"Fellowship is a word that is too often misused and misunderstood," Miss Wilson said. "It is likely to be regarded as something separate from work and service. We haven't yet learned what it can mean, and it is another purpose of the Youth Movement to bring about a new and complete conception of fellowship. Fellowship can grow through give and take. In the United Movement of the Church's Youth it is a tool, a channel through which we can work for the Church, and the Church will not be a vital force in our lives or in the world until we learn how to use that tool. It means toil, opportunity, oneness and love, for we must constantly go back to the fact that God first loved us as the dynamic of the whole movement."

Miss Sallie Deane, "mother" of the Junior Woman's Auxiliary and its provincial chairman, also was a guest. An ovation greeted her as she rose to speak of the beginnings of the Junior Auxiliary and its future.

"We are facing a brand new world," she said. "And the Woman's

Auxiliary is a channel through which the divine energy of Almighty God flows to transform that world."

Miss Julia E. Hill, re-elected for another three years as chairman, presided at the dinner and greeted the representatives of the various parochial groups.

"It was the desire of the Executive Board that on our tenth anniversary we look forward rather than backward," Miss Hill said. "And so it was decided that it was important, not only to the members of the Junior Woman's Auxiliary but also to the Diocese, to present the United Movement of the Church's Youth in keeping with the theme *Witnesses to the Power of God through Fellowship*, and, as a challenge to our young members, to give a prize to the group with the largest attendance here.

"In the years which lie ahead we look forward to challenging all the young women of the Church to share in the work and program of the Woman's Auxiliary, so that we may provide that organization with efficient leadership later on, and that through our younger members cooperating with the United Movement of the Church's Youth the Junior Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Pennsylvania may effectively go Forward in Service."

Other officers elected were Mrs. Frank S. Knapp, vice-chairman in charge of supply, and Miss Ray Phillips, United Thank Offering treasurer. Mrs. George Scadding, of St. John's, Cynwyd, was appointed devotional chairman.

The Bishop pronounced the blessing and offered a brief greeting to the members. It was regretted that another engagement made it impossible to remain throughout the program.

The prize for the largest young group attending—a huge birthday cake bearing ten candles—was awarded to Calvary, Germantown, which reported thirteen at the dinner.

Reports of the various department chairmen revealed a year of productive effort from which many projects derived benefit. The social service report was particularly impressive.

The entire assemblage rose and stood in silent prayer in tribute to the memory of Archdeacon Bullitt, who was a guest at the annual dinner last year.

The closing prayer was offered by Mrs. John E. Hill, provincial representative to the National Executive Board, Woman's Auxiliary, who was a guest. Other guests included Mrs. Edward Ingersoll, former president of the Woman's Auxiliary, and her successor, Mrs. Francis R. Packard; Miss

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Miss Emily Wilson (center), main speaker at the Junior Auxiliary's annual dinner, and Miss Sallie Deane, provincial chairman and a guest of honor, enjoy a chat with Bishop Taitt before the main course at Kugler's on May 21

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He has endorsed missionaries ever since."

The age of workers needed in the C. P. C. organization ranges from tender youth to ripe old age. There's no limit.

Our attention has been called to the lack of literature about the Episcopal Church in public libraries and reading rooms. The C. P. C. has appointed a committee to make a survey of the libraries to ascertain what is most needed to make the Church known to everyone.

Another project is supplying reading matter for the men in our army training camps. Many requests are coming from individual soldiers. The C. P. C. was active in the last war and expects to do all it can in this emergency. The regular work must go on, whether the world is at peace or at war. No part can be given up, but all should be better done.

MARY M. H. ONYX.

News from Parishes

The parish house of *St. Luke's, Germantown*, presented a charmingly Oriental appearance on Sunday, April 20, for a musical tea sponsored by the Evening Branch in the interest of China. About 120 guests enjoyed a concert and a talk by Miss Chow from the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary. Normal Carol, 12-year-old violinist, played with astonishingly mature finish a varied program. Robert Gebhardtsbauer, tenor, sang two solos. Miss Chow, who has been studying two years in this country, said that the prejudice of many Chinese against Christianity was being removed rapidly, due largely to the splendid way missionaries and native Christians were living their religion in these troubled days. Later tea was served, and the guests met Miss Chow and admired the Chinese dolls and Chinese art objects displayed. Contributions for the work of Bishop Tzu in Southwestern China amounted to about \$30.

The Woman's Guild of *St. Martin's, Oak Lane*, gave a fashion show sponsored by Lit Brothers on April 23. On April 28 the guild held its final meeting for the year and served dinner to the men of the parish. The York Road Theatre Guild entertained.

The Mary and Martha Society of *St. John the Evangelist, Lansdowne*,

had a "Gay Nineties" party on April 17. Over \$100 was raised.

The Woman's Auxiliary of *Christ Church, Ridley Park*, has concluded an active and profitable winter under the leadership of Mrs. Frederick A. Warden, wife of the rector. At their final meeting there was a discussion on migrants—their mode of living, education, and social and spiritual life. The Educational Chairman, Mrs. Frederick Bonnet, has conducted a series of talks on the Prayer Book and reviewed the sources of The Liturgy, a valuable work to all who studied with her.

Daughters of the King

A new cooperating agency to join the Woman's Auxiliary is The Daughters of the King, which Mrs. Donald A. Hilsee represents on the Executive Board.

Prayer and service are the two rules of this order, with Bible study an important part of each meeting. As a mark of membership, those belonging to the order wear a small silver cross, upon which is inscribed, "Magnanimitur Crucem Sustine" (*with lofty mind uphold the Cross*).

In the service of admission to the Daughters of the King new members merely renew their Baptismal and Confirmation vows, and furthermore pledge themselves to make a constant and conscientious effort by word or deed to bring other women into Christ's Kingdom.

A Call to Continued Service

CALLS from home and overseas bewilder us. What can we do? Help? Yes! To the best of our ability. But we must not overlook our Episcopal Hospital.

We have appreciated your cooperation with the May Fete Committee, and we hope that this contact has served to bring this "industrial plant" closer to your continued attention. Can any industry be more important than the mending of broken bodies? With towers pointing heavenward, the Episcopal Hospital stands like a great mother with arms outstretched to save and to heal—without discrimination as to creed or race—with the aid of a staff of surgeons and medical men second to none.

Proud of your Hospital? You should be! Then let us dedicate our summer days to ways and means to aid financially this great institution.

Give ourselves the pleasure of bringing happiness through automobile rides to the Harrison Home patients, and I am sure that we will all be more worthy of the name Episcopalian.

MRS. J. HECTOR MCNEAL
Chairman of Publicity

Humbly the members repeat the motto of the Order:

"I am but one; but I am one.
I cannot do everything; but I can do something.
What I can do, I ought to do.
What I ought to do, by the grace of God I will do.
'Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?'"

CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

June 1—Whitsunday

Morning—Radnor, St. Martin
Afternoon—Lansdowne, St. John
Evening—Philadelphia, St. John Evangelist

June 4—Wednesday

Evening—Philadelphia, Phillips Brooks Chapel

June 8—Trinity Sunday

Afternoon—Philadelphia, Hard of Hearing Chapel
Evening—Philadelphia, All Saints, Moya-mensing and Transfiguration Mission

June 9—Monday

Evening—Philadelphia, Christian Settlement House

June 15—1st Sunday after Trinity

Morning—Gwynedd, Messiah
Afternoon—Weldon, St. Peter
Evening—Kennett Square, Advent

June 18—Wednesday

Evening—Philadelphia, Advent

June 22—2nd Sunday after Trinity

Morning—Concord, St. John, and Rockdale, Calvary
Afternoon—Philadelphia, St. Mary of the Annunciation

June 29—3rd Sunday after Trinity

Morning—Warwick, St. Mary
Afternoon—Honey Brook, St. Mark
Evening—Compass, St. John

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Dorothy Scott, chairman of the Diocesan Youth Commission; Edward Potter, diocesan president of the Young People's Fellowship, and Mrs. William C. Hewson and Mrs. J. Burris West, former presidents of the Junior Woman's Auxiliary.

At the last monthly Diocesan Committee meeting on May 14 we were addressed by Mrs. David W. Clark, who spoke of her work among the Indians on Crow Creek Reservation in South Dakota.

Mrs. Clark presented a clear picture of the Indians' life and their interest and work in the Church. The Dakotas are a proud and independent tribe, and they want to feel that they are self-supporting and contributing members of the Church.

They have had a Young People's Fellowship for fifteen years but it is just now becoming active. They are taking part in the Forward in Service program, just as we are.

The tribe is the fourth generation to be Christians. They have an organized Junior Woman's Auxiliary at Fort Thompson. In this part of the reservation a new chapel was built ten years ago. Most of their chapels are about seventy-five years old, but during storms they are blown down or roofs blown off, and they must be rebuilt. The Indians do most of the work on the buildings. They were promised furniture for the chapel, but when it was completed there was no money left for furnishings. They salvaged some of the things from their former chapel and are still using them. Every Sunday they must carry the chairs from the recreation room up into the church for the service. The families of the tribe were going to give pews in memory of the first to be baptized, but lately they have become so poor as a result of drought, plague and dust that they could not afford it.

From Mrs. Clark's description we can see that these Indians are fine people and are doing everything they can for their Church. They have a senior and junior Young People's Fellowship, Junior Woman's Auxiliary and Brotherhood of St. Andrew, and the youth hold supper meetings every month when about sixty young people attend. As self-supporting and contributing members of this Christian democracy, the Dakota Indians are surely going Forward in Service.

At the meeting on May 14 members of the J. W. A. voted on by-laws for the organization which will be incorporated in those of the Woman's

Auxiliary of the Diocese. Provision is made for the J. W. A. organization to follow as nearly as possible the set-up of the Woman's Auxiliary. Election of all officers is provided for and their duties are prescribed.

It has been decided that the scheduled tour to a diocesan institution be postponed to a date in September. All groups will be notified of further plans for this trip.

U. M. C. Y. News

We are hoping that all J. W. A. members will attend one conference this Summer. Shrine Mont is our own Auxiliary conference; Ursinus the diocesan conference, and Sweet Briar the advanced conference for those who have attended previous conferences. It's lots of fun and a grand vacation.

One of the good features being published by the United Movement of the Church's Youth is the Rule of Life. If we are to go Forward in Service with our Bishop, we must rededicate ourselves to God, and this is a good way to do it. Carefully read the Rule of Life before you decide to sign any pact. You may get a copy at Room 30 in Church House, and we hope that all of our young women will keep this covenant with God.

On May 3 at old Christ Church a successful youth conference was held, beginning with registration at 3:30 P.M. and continuing until 9:00 P.M. when a service in the church brought it to a close.

There were approximately 105 delegates from parishes and missions in the Diocese, representing the youth of the Church from 14 to 25. Miss Dorothy Scott, chairman of the Diocesan

Youth Commission, opened the conference with a brief review of the United Movement of the Church's Youth, its undertakings and aims. She then introduced the members of the Commission, who told in a few words why their group was interested in the Movement.

Dougald L. Maclean, of the Divinity School, told us about the Whitsunday Corporate Communion for all the youth in the country. More than 500,000 youth partook of the Holy Communion on that day, June 1.

Mr. Baker, from the Union Middle School in China, told us how the school had moved three times since the beginning of the war. One-third of our collection from Youth Sunday in September will be sent to that school. Juniata Solimeo, Girls' Friendly representative on the National Youth Commission, described activities in other dioceses where Youth Commissions have been organized.

The Rev. Charles Martin then presented the Rule of Life. Movies of the Ursinus and Shrine Mont conferences were shown before supper. After supper, Mr. Ray had provided amusing games in the gym and there was an opportunity for everyone to get acquainted. We then broke up into small groups for discussions. Many delegates received advice and suggestions to take home to their groups. Plans for Fall will be announced later.

Special Gifts

Juniors should be interested in the appeal for portable altars for our chaplains in Army camps. Any donations will be acceptable. A list of equipment and prices will be furnished gladly by Mrs. Sumner H. Cross, 202 South 19th Street, Phila.

We must not forget the young lady we are taking care of at the City Mission. Any Auxiliary that has not yet contributed may do so through Miss Eva Young, diocesan treasurer of the J. W. A., and be sure that the amount is properly designated.

Programs

During the year we try to have definite action from one of our diocesan monthly programs. The most appealing request came this year from Mrs. J. Holcombe Genung, chairman of the Diocesan Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary. Juniors who would like to contribute a sum to the special fund for a chapel at Sleighton Farm School for Girls may send it to Miss Eva Young, treasurer, designated for Chapel at Sleighton Farms, and it will be sent to the Diocesan Committee where it will be much appreciated.

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cooperate with the Board of Managers of Episcopal Hospital in stimulating interest in the annual offering in the parishes and in taking necessary steps to meet the hospital's financial needs.

Financial Safeguards

Accepting the report of the Subcommittee on Financial Safeguards of the Department of Finance, presented by Spencer Ervin, chairman, the Convention authorized the appointment of a committee of six to consider the desirability of hiring a diocesan travelling accountant-bookkeeper to give full time to the accounts and reports of the parishes and missions, the committee to report to Executive Council, which shall have power to act.

Final action of the proposed amendment to the Constitution to pave the way for proportional representation in the Convention was put off for another year.

As the moment for adjournment drew near reports were presented by title and resolutions flew thick and fast, as did appointments by the Bishop to various committees and commissions. Among the resolutions was one of felicitation to Bishop William T. Manning, of New York, formerly rector of St. John's, Lansdowne, on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of his birth, the 50th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood and the 20th anniversary of his consecration.

The 158th Convention will be called to order at 5 P. M., Monday, May 4, 1942.

Wissinoming Parish Shows Spiritual and Financial Gains

An era of progress which has been marked by a number of improvements to the physical property of the parish as well as by spiritual growth and debt reduction, is reported by the Rev. John R. McGrory, rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, Wissinoming.

The parish, which has 459 communicants, had three celebrations of the Holy Communion on Easter Day—one at 6 A. M., at which 40 persons received; one at 8 A. M., when 150 received, and the third at 10 A. M., when 208 made their communions, a total of 398. The Church School has an average attendance of 225 children.

On Palm Sunday the rector dedicated an illuminated cross given by

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Our children's Lenten Offering, always the largest in our land, showed considerable improvement in the last year. I wish something could be done to increase the number of children attending our Church Schools. To have less children attending than we have communicants on our list, does not argue well for the future of our Church.

College Work

A fine work is being done in some of our colleges. The Rev. J. Jarden Guenther is splendidly attending to Swarthmore College in conjunction with his rectorship at Trinity Church, Swarthmore. The Rev. James Howard Jacobson is doing a notable work at the University of Pennsylvania, conducting the service of Holy Communion daily in the Chapel, contacting students and locating them in parishes, keeping alive their responsibility for Sunday worship, holding private confirmation instruction with four one-hour-a-week sessions for 25 of the 30 school weeks (we return candidates to their own parishes for the laying-on-of-hands); interviewing countless numbers of students in an effort to resolve religious doubts and assist them in securing a greater intellectual foundation for their faith. Weekly luncheons are sponsored at the Christian Association, followed by speakers who address the students on religious subjects. A home environment is provided for away-from-home students in having one or two different students for dinner several evenings a week and also having a weekly "Open House."

Forward In Service

Very competent and conscientious men are in charge of the Forward in Service plan in this Diocese. This is a ten-year plan suggested by the Presiding Bishop. He writes: "The joy and happiness and freedom which but a short while ago were the birthright of men are today gone for many. What are you and I going to do about this? How can we face the situation and take our part, individually and collectively, in working out the destiny of mankind? It was during another period of turmoil and crisis that Christ made His appearance among men. The world seemed doomed. But He changed the course of events and the course of history in such a way as to make possible the Christian way of life. Today that Christian way of life is endangered. Today God is calling us Christians of America to cooperate with Him in saving it. In His name, I summon you to do your part in this task. It can be accomplished if each of us will re-dedicate himself completely to Christ. 'Thy will be done' must be the supreme law of our lives. To that re-dedication your Church calls you, and I am sure you will gladly answer: 'Here am I. Send me.' I think we can all assure Bishop Tucker of our readiness to follow his plan.

Budget

To assure meeting all our obligations, we have reduced our contribution to parishes and missions 10 percent. This in no sense means a reduction of the already meager salaries of the clergy but a request to the missions to add 10 percent to their givings. This we think comparatively easy, if all members will cooperate; and we feel sure when they sense the condition, they will be most ready and happy to do so.

The Bishop's Fund

The only regular source of income to the Bishop's Discretionary Fund is the loose offerings at Confirmation services. Sometimes these offerings are surprisingly small, even from comparatively large churches. In many cases no statement is made of the object; in other cases a simple statement is made that it is for the Bishop's Fund, which some might interpret as his salary. Great and almost constant demands are made upon this fund, and there are many things the Bishop would like to do for his clergy which are simply impossible. I hope that this mere statement will greatly improve the offerings.

Endowment of the Episcopate

With our more than a century and a half of history, the Endowment of the Episcopate is less than \$100,000. In that length of time we have probably given more for missions than almost any Diocese, and saved less for ourselves. I am glad it is so, but I think more provision should be made, that we might reduce the assessments on some of our churches.

The Girls' Friendly Society

The president reports the Girls' Friendly Society in Pennsylvania this year celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of its organization. The offering at the Anniversary Service, which amounted to one hundred forty seven dollars, was presented to the Diocesan Altar Guild for purchasing portable altars for use by Episcopal chaplains in the Army and Navy.

During the year the Society continued and enlarged all its general program of worship, missions, social service, recreation, leadership training, and cooperation with the Woman's Auxiliary and the Supply Bureau in sewing and box work.

Most noteworthy of the new projects are:

I. Launching of a series of pilgrimages to study Christian Symbolism and the art of worship in our own and other faiths. Included are visits to a Hebrew Synagogue, a Roman Catholic and a Swedenborgian Cathedral. The aim of these pilgrimages is educational and the development of religious tolerance.

II. Sending one of the members, with all expenses provided, to work for the month of August in the mission community center at Dante, in the mountains of Virginia.

III. Cooperation with the National Society in building a high school for girls in Chennan, Free China; in supplying the salary for a social worker in a migrant center; and in sending twelve hundred dollars to the Girls' Friendly Society in Great Britain at Christmas time.

IV. The Committee on Christian Social Relations, with the aid of civic organizations, organized monthly forums on such subjects as *Social Diseases*, *Race Relations*, and *Consumer Research*.

V. A growing consciousness of the Christian responsibility of war relief work. A knitting unit has been established under the British War Relief Service; 60 filled bags for refugees in Britain were sent through the Emergency Aid Society at Christmas time; furnishings for seven hospital beds for Britain at a cost of \$280, were supplied through the efforts of older members; a fund of \$400 is nearly complete for a mobile kitchen trailer for Britain. This sum will be matched by a friend, when complete, for a second kitchen.

VI. A member of the Friendly in this Diocese is one of two Provincial representatives for all youth organizations on the newly formed National Youth Commission.

VII. The Presiding Bishop inspired the Society, in his sermon, to Go Forward in Service, and a clergyman of the Diocesan Commission for Forward in Service will present concrete ways for the Society to actually accomplish this at the Annual Leadership Conference in Cape May in June.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN LAMB HALL

The Woman's Auxiliary

The Woman's Auxiliary reports another year of loyal cooperation from 208 branches in 205 parishes, missions and chapels, and two new branches recently organized in St. Philip's, New Hope, and Manoa; also a new evening branch at All Saints, Darby. As Auxiliary to the National Council, we are committed to the whole work of the Church through prayer, study, service and gifts, which, to be as effective as possible, must be in close cooperation with our diocesan responsibility. This program is being carried out by our junior groups, both those meeting in the day and in the evening. A recent change in by-laws has been made, bringing the Auxiliary in line with the set-up of the National Council of five departments: Missions, Christian Education, Christian Social Relations, Promotion, and Finance. Responsibility for the Elizabeth Price Martin League for Service (the official organization of social service in the Auxiliary), diocesan institutions and all other social relations, including Christian Family Life, are now in this department. The Triennial Meeting in Kansas City committed us to cooperation and support of the Presiding Bishop's Ten Year Plan for Forward in Service; the offering for British Missions; the study of the unified parish, the responsibility to be informed about the United Youth Movement, and to further the cause of unity through fellowship with members of other denominations. Active efforts have been made along all these lines.

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Thomas Mensing in memory of his wife, Ella. The cross is outside the church. Some years ago Mr. Mensing gave a bell in memory of his son, Walter, who died in World War I.

Recently a difficult problem, which has given trouble since the completion of the parish house, that of waterproofing the first floor, was solved. The concrete floor was excavated, and terra cotta pipes, with conductors, were placed three feet apart under the foundation walls and directed to a French drain.

During the last five years, Mr. McGrory reports, the parish debt has been reduced from \$16,000 to \$11,200.

Episcopal Hospital Graduates Second Largest Class in History

Fifty-one young women representing eight states, the second largest class in the institution's history, received diplomas at the 51st commencement of the Episcopal Hospital Training School for Nurses on May 21. The diplomas were presented by the Bishop at exercises in the hospital chapel. The commencement address was made by the Rev. E. Felix Kroman, rector of Old Christ Church.

The largest class in the hospital's history, which exceeded this year's class by only one student, was graduated in 1931. Thirty-four of the graduates this year are from Pennsylvania, with Philadelphia represented by 12. Other states represented are New Jersey, New York, Florida, Alabama, North Carolina, West Virginia and South Dakota. Miss Mabel R. Aungie, the South Dakotan, is a member of the Sioux Indian tribe.

The officers of the class are Frances L. Boughter, Watsontown, Pa., president; Marion Boger, Annville, Pa., vice-president; Lillian E. Raymond, Easton, secretary, and Irma V. Stechenfinger, Milton, Pa., treasurer.

Other members of the class are:

Sally C. Clack	Annie L. Carter
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Dorothy R. McKee	Elaine Mecluskey
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Harriet Trethaway	Beatrice A. Rhodes
Rachel M. Ward	Marie Richardson
Grace A. Whipp	Geraldine Robbins
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Doris C. Allatt	Velma M. Wagner
Elizabeth M. Ashton	Pauline E. Walters
Mabel R. Aungie	Jane F. Warner
Grace V. Bell	Phyllis A. Woolf
Rose V. Boakes	

ASSETS OF PENSION FUND NOW EXCEED \$35,000,000

The Church Pension Fund of the Protestant Episcopal Church reports assets of \$35,052,157 with liabilities of \$32,530,892 as of the end of 1940 and is now paying pension benefits to retired clergymen and to widows and orphans at the rate of \$1,390,746 a year, according to its twenty-third annual report just issued. This represents an increase of nearly \$900,000 in assets in the last year and an increase of more than \$48,000 in the annual pension roll.

The market value of the Fund's investments is reported to have been \$2,100,000 in excess of their book value as of December 31. Since the Fund began active operations in 1917, it has paid total pension benefits exceeding \$19,300,000, and in the same period its assets have grown from \$10,772,000 to the present total.

The report just issued is over the signature of William Fellowes Morgan, Sr., who resigned as president of the Board of Trustees last December after having served in that capacity for the past nine years. He continues, however, on the Board of Trustees, of which he has been a member since the Fund was incorporated in 1914. Bishop Cameron J. Davis, of Buffalo, succeeded him as president, and J. P. Morgan continues as treasurer of the Fund, which office he has held since 1915.

After briefly reviewing the history of the Fund, Mr. Morgan points out "that the present scale of pensions is approximately 40 percent higher than would have been the case if the trustees had been content merely to discharge the basic obligations." The average age allowance is now approximately \$1,000. He further remarks, however, that the low interest earnings of the Fund continue to be the main problem with which the Trustees are faced. The average earned on the Fund's reserve liabilities was 3.01 percent in 1940 compared to 3.08 percent in 1939. Approximately 27 percent of the Fund's investments are in obligations of the United States Government.

Included in the annual report of the Fund are brief statements concerning its subsidiary organizations. It is reported that the Church Life Insurance Corporation has assets of \$6,225,000 and has \$26,200,000 of insurance in force. The Church Properties Fire Insurance Corporation has \$95,000,000 of insurance in force on Episcopal property. Both of these corporations are managed by The Church Pension Fund.

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A brief financial summary shows the Auxiliary to have contributed last year:

\$21,994.29 which has counted on parish quotas
27,786.00 for United Thank Offering
4,281.42 for Specials in both Diocese and General Church

Total \$54,061.71

In addition, \$9,715.63 in sewn and knitted garments were made by parishes and sent into the mission field through the Supply Department. On May 1 \$10,719.35 was presented as the first United Thank Offering of the Triennium.

Episcopal Hospital

The crowning charity of the Diocese is the Episcopal Hospital, one of the largest, finest and most liberal hospitals in the world. Founded by that Great Masterbuilder, Bishop Alonzo Potter, it has served the Diocese magnificently for 89 years. Years ago there was great liberality on the part of churchmen and a large endowment fund was acquired. In the depression, values of investments decreased, and now interest is so small and living contributions quite inadequate, and the hospital can only meet its needs by using undesignated legacies. This is like killing the goose that lays the golden eggs, and prevents further additions to an already inadequate endowment. The Church has never received State aid, as it does not want political interference, and it has an ambition to support its institutions. The president of the board writes: "The operating expenses of the Hospital have risen from \$418,000 in 1932 to a high of \$513,000 in 1940. During this same period the operating income of the Hospital increased from \$133,000 to \$268,000, an increase of \$135,000. During this period our income from church contributions (and to a very small degree from other donations) varied between a low of \$21,000 and a high of \$34,000. Last year such contributions amounted to \$27,000. Our real trouble in these last nine years has been the extremely severe decline in our income from investments: in 1932 we received \$240,000 from our investments, and last year we received only \$190,000, a decrease of \$50,000. The result of last year's operations left us with a deficit for the year of \$48,000. This deficit must be met from our general fund: and our additions to the general fund last year amounted to only \$21,000, which meant that we had to dip into our principal to the extent of \$27,000. A continuation of such a line of action will inevitably cause serious consequences. If we are unable to obtain additional revenue from some other sources, the hospital will slowly deteriorate, and its service to the community eventually will become worthless. It is the unanimous hope of the Board of Managers that the Diocese will be able to furnish the additional funds in order to continue its growing and its increasing service to the community. Will not our members make present gifts and by will leave large contributions for this splendid work? What a joy to feel that after we are gone the good work is continuing! What a joy at the last day, to hear the Master say: 'I was sick and ye ministered unto me!'"

Galilee Mission

The Galilee Mission has just completed its 44th anniversary and is doing magnificent service. The Church owes a very great debt to Mr. George W. Wilkins for the care and sacrifice he has made for the Mission. During the year there is reported:

Chapel Attendance	36,305
Sunday School Membership	450
Sunday School Attendance	17,060
Confessed Conversions	2,424
Meals	100,630
Lodgings	51,835
Pieces of clothing distributed	1,250
Employment secured for	425

I am sure that is a good work, and the Church may well be proud of it.

The City Mission

The City Mission is another splendid work which ministers to the institutions in the Diocese and serves a large population of needy people under the deeply religious care of Dr. Wm. H. Jefferys. It has become an institution for the spiritual as well as material up-building of many who have missed out in the struggle in life. We hope the work will continue for many years to come and that every year will mark increasing labor for Christ and His Church.

A Word of Hope

As one looks out upon the world today, it is anything but a bright picture. And if it were not that we have a past history, we might be utterly cast down, but

History's pages but record

One great struggle in the darkness,

'Twix false systems and the word,

Truth forever on the scaffold,

Wrong forever on the throne.

Yet that scaffold rules the future,

And, within the dark unknown,

Standeth God within the shadow,

Keeping watch upon His own.

Hitler is not the first, nor will he be the last, that will rise up to defy God and man. We have had Alexander the Great, Napoleon and many others who sought to be world conquerors; and for a season seemed to succeed; but in the words of our own poet

The wrong shall fail,

The right prevail,

With peace on earth,

Good will to men

The children of God may have suffering to endure; but while suffering is painful it may yet be purifying. They have always the comfort of knowing that God is still upon the throne, and all things will end according to His will. So we possess our souls in peace, but not in inactivity. What the world needs to heal its ills is not more wealth, more intelligence, more democratic government, but more of the grace of God. This is what God has given to us to impart to the world. May we be faithful, active and loving in the fulfilment of our task.

A noble army: men and boys,

The matron and the maid:

Around the Saviour's throne rejoice,

In robes of light arrayed.

They climbed the steep ascent of heaven

Through peril, toil, and pain:

O God, to us may grace be given

To follow in their train.

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our Lord's life—the Lord's Supper, the Crucifixion and the Resurrection. It was designed and made by Mrs. P. H. Balano, Germantown stained glass artist and member of Calvary Church, Conshohocken.

The annual parish supper, which always follows the annual election of the vestry and the rector, was held in the parish house on May 31. More than 400 parishioners and former members of the congregation attended the event.

West Philadelphia

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ton, was the preacher at a missionary service after dinner. Dr. Kinsolving presented the Forward in Service program as he interpreted it, and outlined some of the benefits derived from the Roll Call in his parish. The service of choral evensong was sung by the rector, the Rev. John Quincy Martin, with the Rev. David Holmes and the Rev. William I. Edwards assisting. Seminarians and members of the faculty of Philadelphia Divinity School took part in the procession.

Germantown

In the same church—St. Luke the Beloved Physician, Bustleton—where his father, the late Very Rev. Llewellyn N. Caley, was elected dean of the Convocation of Germantown thirteen years ago, the Rev. N. Herbert Caley, for 11 years rector of St. Alban's, Roxborough, was elected to the same office at the spring meeting of the convocation on May 20. He succeeds the Rev. Dr. Charles E. Eder, who was elected in 1932 to fill the vacancy created by Dr. Caley's death, and to whom the convocation voted a resolution of gratitude for his years of devoted service as dean.

The Rev. Albert F. Fisher, Jr., vicar of St. John's, West Oak Lane, was elected to succeed Mr. Caley as secretary of the convocation, and the Rev. Edward H. Vogt and Louis B. Runk, both of St. Peter's, Germantown, were elected to represent the convocation in Executive Council.

The Rev. J. Wesley Twelves reported the offer of a site for a new mission in the Temple Stadium section of West Oak Lane. Mr. Twelves had withdrawn from the Committee on Program and Church Extension at the January meeting of the convocation, but at the appeal of Louis B. Runk, he agreed to remain on the committee if relieved of the chairmanship.

At the request of Robert C. Belleville, 3d, Samuel F. Houston and Reed A. Morgan were added to the committee appointed last winter to study the advisability of acquiring a portable chapel of pre-fabricated construction. A further report of the committee is expected at the fall meeting, which will be held at All Saints, Crescentville.

The convocation voted to apply \$55 to reduction of the mortgage on the House of Prayer rather than hold the money in the treasury any longer.

At the luncheon, which was attended by nearly 200 clergy, laymen and women, the Bishop made a strong plea for more adequate support for Episcopal Hospital, and Miss Lily Cheston, newly elected chairman of the Woman's Aid, urged attendance at one or more of the summer conferences soon to be held in the Diocese and the Province. Mrs. George Woodward announced a garden fete at her home on June 3 for the benefit of rectory building funds for St. Gabriel's Mission and the Church of the Messiah. Other guests at the luncheon

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Of Interest in Delaware County

First Recital on "New" Organ Is Played by Parish Priest

An appreciative audience filled the Church of the Incarnation, Drexel Hill, on Sunday evening, May 25, when the rector, the Rev. William P. C. Loane, played by request the first recital program heard on the church's newly-rebuilt organ.

The program included the *E Minor Prelude and Fugue* and *Air for the G String*, by Johann Sebastian Bach; *Coronation March*, Meyerbeer; Schubert's *Ave Maria*, and works of Mendelssohn, Lohr, and Hollins.

Rebuilt by Charles N. Kuhnle, well known organist, the instrument now has a new action, new chests and two new stops—oboe and chimes—and has been entirely re-voiced. The work has been completely paid for and was dedicated, together with a new Church flag, at the 11 A. M. service on the recital date.

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See all the legions flaming
In armor all of light,
Hear alleluias ringing
That shake the shades of night!
The heathen idols tremble
To see the conquerors come,
To hear the shouts of battle,
The rolling of the drum!

O conqu'ring host advancing
Across the trembling sod,
Thine every movement telling
The mighty pulse of God,—
How like a flood thou comest
That rolleth wave on wave!
O send thine heralds forward,
To cry, "We save, we save!"

With heart and hand united,
With God upon the throne,
Up soldiers on and win them—
New kingdoms for your own;
A greater Jordan fording,
A greater Canaan nigh,
Rush forth for Christ and conquer,
With shouts that rend the sky!

—Frederick B. Hornby,
Rector, St. Luke's, Chester.

Christ Church, Media, Calls Rev. W. J. Alberts As Rector

The Rev. William James Alberts, former assistant minister at Grace Church, Newark, has accepted a call to the rectorship of Christ Church, Media, where he succeeds the Rev. Harvey D. Butterfield, now rector of St. Luke's, Germantown. His election was effective June 1.

Fr. Alberts is a native of New York City and prepared for the ministry at DuBose Memorial Training School, Nashotah House and General Theological Seminary. Bishop Manning ordered him deacon in 1935, when he joined the staff of St. John's, Yonkers. After his ordination to the priesthood by Bishop Washburn in 1936, he went to Newark.

Fr. Butterfield Instituted At St. Luke's; Names Curate

The Rev. Harvey D. Butterfield, former rector of Christ Church, Media, who last February succeeded Bishop Wallace E. Conkling, of Chicago, as rector of St. Luke's, Germantown, was formally instituted by Bishop Taitt on the evening of May 29. The church was filled for the impressive rites. Visiting clergy included the new dean of Germantown Convocation, the Very Rev. N. Herbert Caley.

Fr. Butterfield has appointed as curate the Rev. Theodore E. A. LeVan, former rector of St. Peter's, West Allis, Wis. Fr. LeVan attended Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y., and Seabury-Western Seminary, Evanston, Ill. He is a graduate of Nashotah House.

New Organist at Crescentville

James H. Lord, former organist and choirmaster at Calvary, Germantown, and St. Barnabas, Kensington, has succeeded Walter D. Gaul as organist and choirmaster at All Saints, Crescentville.

Bequests

Bequeathed by Caroline Lea March: \$500 each to the Altar Guild of the Diocese of Pennsylvania; the Guild of All Souls; the Cathedral of the Diocese of Pennsylvania; \$5000 each to St. Clement's Church and the Seamen's Church Institute.

Bequeathed by Josephine R. Caldwell: \$5000 each to Episcopal Hospital and the Church of the Saviour, West Philadelphia.

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were the Very Rev. Allen Evans, dean of Philadelphia Divinity School, who preached at the Communion service which opened the convocation program, and Francis A. Pocock, who described his proposed new seal for the diocese.

Norristown

Further study of the need for new Church schools in some of the rapidly appearing new communities in Montgomery County was provided for at the Norristown Convocation meeting at All Hallows Church, Wyncote, on Ascension Day, in connection with the fiftieth anniversary celebration of that parish.

After considerable discussion the convocation referred the question back to the original committee appointed by Dean James M. Niblo last October. The committee was instructed to confer with the local rectors concerned, get their views and additional information and report at the October meeting of the convocation at St. Thomas, Whitemarsh.

The members of the committee are the Rev. Messrs. John W. Walker, Frederick B. Halsey, James C. Gilbert, William N. Lanigan and E. J. Harry.

A committee also was named to

study the suggestion of Francis A. Pocock for a new diocesan seal and report its recommendations at the fall meeting. The committee, headed by Mr. Pocock, consists of the Rev. Nathanael B. Groton and the Rev. Stanley R. West.

To fill the vacancy created by the resignation of E. C. Kaltenbach the convocation elected as secretary Henry L. Keire, of All Hallows. Norris D. Davis, of Conshohocken, was re-elected treasurer, but resigned that post when he was elected lay representative to Executive Council. The Rev. James Hart Lamb, Jr., was re-elected clerical representative, and Alfred T. Bratton, of Holy Nativity, Rockledge, was elected treasurer.

Elected to the executive committee

of the convocation were the Rev. Frederick B. Halsey, the Rev. Leonard J. Sachs, Charles H. Miller, of St.

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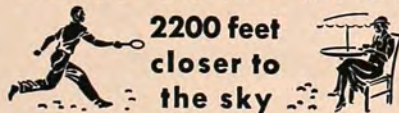


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At 9 A. M. the conference was officially opened by Lochrane Gary, con-

ference chairman, who introduced the Rev. Dr. Charles W. Sheerin, D.D., vice-president, National Council. His topic was *Go Forward in Service in the Church*.

He said that Forward in Service is not new, but the eternal task of the Church. His three characteristics of Youth are 1) shortness of duration; 2) impatience; 3) a sense of futility.

At 10:30 A. M. those attending were divided into Bible study groups with the discussion based on the Sermon on the Mount.

After dinner and a free period, delegates were divided into three groups to discuss *How Can the Y. P. F. Go Forward in Service? In the Province of Washington* was led by William C. Hendrix, provincial president; *In the Diocese*, Frances Caul; *In the Parish*,

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At 4 P. M. there were reports from representatives of national youth organizations of the Episcopal Church.

In the evening stunts were put on by various dioceses with Frank Rowley as master of ceremonies. Just before bedtime, many of the delegates gathered around the organ in the Shrine and sang hymns.

At 9 A. M. Saturday the Rev. Frederick H. Arterton, national secretary for youth, gave an address on *Go Forward in Service in the New United Movement of the Church's Youth* in which he explained the new movement and told of some activities which are planned for the future.

At 10:30 A. M. we again broke up into Bible study groups, this time using as a basis for our discussion I Corinthians, Chapter 12, verses 6 to 12.

The business meeting in the afternoon was called to order by William Hendrix, president. After a number of other reports by the officers and committee chairmen, the committee on the United Movement of the Church's Youth put forward a resolution which is to be presented to the Provincial Synod. It suggested that a Youth Commission, made up of one bishop, two priests, and two laymen, be set up in the Province and that they should also organize a Youth Council including, in addition to the members of the commission, two young people, one of whom is a member of the Y. P. F., and one adult from each diocese. This resolution was adopted by the convention.

Elections were the final order of business. The new officers of the Provincial Y. P. F. are—president, William C. Hendrix, Washington; vice-president, Gordon L. Bradley, Pennsylvania; secretary, Ella Holthaus, Pittsburgh; treasurer, Harvey A. White, Jr., Virginia.

At 4:30 P. M. there were voluntary discussion groups on the duties of

president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, thank offering secretary, and fellowship activities.

In the evening there was a dance which was so informal that everybody had a marvelous time. This was followed by a preparation service conducted by the Rev. B. Janney Ruderow, of Philadelphia, one of the provincial clergy advisors.

Sunday activities began with Corporate Communion at 7:30 A. M. in the outdoor Shrine.

At 9:30 A. M. a summary of the conference was presented by the Rev. Edmund L. Gettier, Jr., another provincial clergy advisor.

Installation of officers and presentation of the thank offering took place at 11:15 A. M. in the Shrine. The sermon—*Go Forward in Service to the World*—was preached by Rev. Dr. Theodore O. Wedel, College of Preachers, Washington.

The Convention was officially closed at dinner, which began at 1 P. M.

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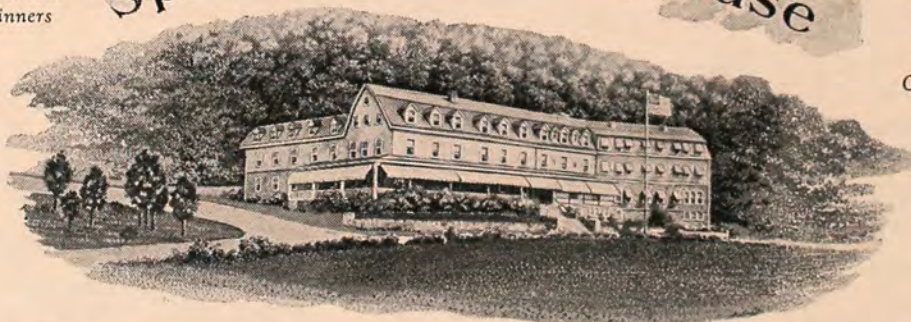
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bring about acceptance of that responsibility, he said.

Both the Rev. Dr. John K. Shryock and the Very Rev. Granville Taylor, co-chairmen of the Joint Commission on Evangelism and the Forward Movement, under whose leadership the Forward in Service program is being developed in this Diocese, addressed the conference on the Presiding Bishop's ten-year program, which, said Dr. Taylor, "is designed to make the Church more adequate to do the will of God."

Dr. Shryock definitely tied the Every Member Canvass and the Forward in Service movement into a composite act of service to the Church. To which Dr. Franklin added: "The Forward in Service program is concerned with the whole life of the whole Church."

Sunday morning found more than 75 members of the conference at Holy Communion, which was celebrated by Dr. Houghton. After breakfast the conference was divided into three sections, which were addressed in turn by Dr. Franklin, Mr. Boyle and Miss Selzer, with Dr. Houghton summarizing the whole in a final joint session.

The general missionary enterprise, its financial structure and needs were ably presented by Dr. Franklin, who for 20 years has been disbursing the missionary funds of the Church.

Emphasis on the work in China was given by Miss Selzer, out of her experience of many years of service there, in various capacities and in many fields.

Promotion methods and techniques were presented by Mr. Boyle, who urged the chairmen to prepare adequately for the canvass and outlined the following course:

1. Study and know your product, which is the Church.
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3. Apply basic principles in raising money.

In amplification of these cardinal points, Mr. Boyle suggested a strong central committee with the chairman chosen by the rector and the vestry, the chairman to choose his own canvassers; reliance only upon personal approach; a high objective; concentration of the canvass period into one week; two men on a team with no more than ten calls for each team; a thorough course of training for canvassers, beginning well in advance (three or four weeks) of the canvass;

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The final preparation should be a corporate Communion for the canvassers on the Sunday morning that they begin their visitation. For, as the Bishop said at the opening of the conference, "The vision must not be the dollar. This is a religious matter."

Osteopaths Confer Honor Upon Rev. Chas. B. DuBell

The Rev. Charles B. DuBell, rector of St. Simeon's Church, was the recipient of an honorary degree of Doctor of Laws at the annual commencement of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy held May 31 in Irvine Auditorium, University of Pennsylvania.

According to the citation Dr. DuBell was honored in recognition of his work as an army chaplain, in which he attained the rank of colonel, a distinction shared by only two other men; his Church work and his popularity in his community; his scholarship and humanitarian achievements; and above all, his contribution to the cause of osteopathy in Pennsylvania.

Lord and Lady Halifax to Attend St. Clement's Church on June 20

Dedication of 27 new memorial windows in St. Clement's Church, one of which memorializes the late Lord Halifax and Cardinal Mercier, "20th century apostles of catholic reunion," will be witnessed by the present Lord Halifax, British Ambassador to the United States, and Lady Halifax on Friday, June 20. It will be their first public visit to Philadelphia.

Bishop Taitt and Bishop Manning, of New York, also will take part in the ceremonies, it has been announced by the Rev. Dr. Franklin Joiner, rector of St. Clement's.

A complete description of the windows appeared in the March issue of THE CHURCH NEWS.

IN MEMORIAM

Blakiston—With the death on April 1 of Miss Maria Eyre Blakiston, the last member of the family of the late George Richard Blakiston has passed to the larger life. Born in Philadelphia, November 21, 1847, the first child of George Richard and Elizabeth K. (Ashburner) she was baptized in St. Mary's Church, Hamilton Village, on October 1, 1848.

The family moving to Rutherford, N. J., she shared in the organizing of Grace Church, Rutherford, and was active in all parts of the work, especially in the infant department of the Church School, remaining there to see the first unit of the Church erected and opened for service. In that work her family was associated with that of the father and sisters of the late Rev. Dr. Floyd W. Tomkins, and others.

In the fall of 1879 she accepted duty in the day school of All Saints Cathedral, Milwaukee, from whence she went to the day school of St. Augustine's Chapel, Trinity Parish, New York City, where she remained for 25 years, adding to her duties the teaching of some 500 children in the infant department of the Church School. While there she formed a lasting friendship with the late Edwin S. Gorham and was interested in the students of General Theological Seminary, of whom the late Bishop Benjamin Brewster, of Maine, was one, and from whom she received a personal letter recalling early days, shortly before her death.

Leaving New York, she became attached to old Christ Church, Philadelphia, in 1907 as parish visitor and head of the Mothers' Meeting, and she there continued as leader of the latter organization for 24 years when failing health compelled retirement.

Gradually becoming incapacitated, and confined to the house, she had regular ministrations of the Church and held her membership in Christ Church until her death.

An example in faith, fortitude and patience in suffering to all who had the privilege of knowing her, both her life and character are stressed by provisions in her will for the work and people she helped in life.

The burial service was at the late residence, the Rev. Messrs. George W. Lamb, long-time family friend, and W. Roulston McKean, with whom she worked at Christ Church, officiating.

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Norristown

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James, Perkiomen, and Carl G. Lorenz, of St. John's, Norristown.

Eighty-nine persons received Communion at the service preceding the meeting. The Bishop celebrated. He was assisted by Bishop Leopold Kroll, of Liberia, who was the guest preacher, Mr. Halsey and Dean Niblo.

More than 125 attended the luncheon in the parish house, at which the Bishop was the speaker.

Chester

Drafted after an absence of four years from official participation in convocational affairs, the Rev. Dr. Charles W. Shreiner, headmaster of the Church Farm School and rector of St. Paul's, West Whiteland, was elected acting dean of the Convocation of Chester at its spring meeting at Holy Trinity, West Chester, on May 27. The action was taken after the Diocesan Convention had paved the way by amending the Diocesan Canons.

Dr. Shreiner will act during the absence of the Very Rev. Stanley V. Wilcox, who is serving with the 190th Field Artillery at Camp Shelby, Miss. Dean Wilcox's term of office expires in the fall, when a new dean will be elected. That meeting will be held at

St. Paul's, Chester, of which Dean Wilcox is rector.

Gerald Powell, of St. Mary's, Wayne, was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the convocation, and the Rev. Richard T. Lyford and C. Fenno Hoffman were elected to Executive Council. At the request of Dr. Shreiner all other incumbents were continued in office, including the following members of the executive committee:

The Rev. Messrs. Charles E. Tuke, George W. Barnes, George R. Bishop, Edgar H. Yeoman, Earnest C. Earp and Jacob A. Wintersteen; and Messrs. J. H. Carroll, St. Faith's; L. B. Cassell, All Saints, Darby; William H. Beardwood, Holy Sacrament; Franklin V. Harding, Atonement, Morton; Gerald H. Powell, Freas B. Snyder, St. John's, Lansdowne, and S. Mendelson Meehan, of St. Alban's, Newtown Square.

Reports of the missionary vicars indicated that the 14 missions in the convocation are making healthy progress. Among the outstanding features included in the reports were:

Manoa Mission, conducted by Dougald L. Maclean, divinity student—Increasing attendance at Church School and Church services, and progress in the search for a site to be purchased for erection of a permanent chapel. The work is to be continued throughout the summer.

St. Giles, Upper Darby, Rev. T. Norman Mason, vicar—Finances improving steadily and young people's work showing rapid growth.

St. Luke's, Chester and Eddystone, Rev. Frederick B. Hornby, vicar—Reduction in aid required from Rectors' Salaries and Pensions Fund; excellent Vacation Church School attendance, and the best Easter collection in five years.

St. Faith's, Brookline, Rev. William Powell, vicar—Chapel is expected to be free of debt by fall; rectory debt to be liquidated by next spring.

St. John the Evangelist, Essington, Rev. Frederick A. Warden, vicar—The children of the late John L. Ackroyd, lay reader, have taken over the work their father laid down at his death and are doing a distinguished job. John L. Ackroyd, Jr., the lay reader in charge and superintendent of the Church School, has made a beautiful children's altar which was displayed at the convocation meeting. Another teaches in the Church School, a third is active in the financial work of the mission and the fourth is leader of the choir.

Trinity, Collingdale—Dead wood has been pruned from the communicant list; Lenten and Easter offerings showed a healthy increase; a regular campaign to educate the people to their responsibilities as members of the Church has been instituted; a Finance Committee is functioning so that the congregation is becoming acquainted with the mission's true condition, which is better than it has been for some time; a good attendance level has been maintained at all services, and young people's services average an attendance of 70.

Greetings were sent to Dean Wilcox and the Rev. Charles H. Urban at

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the program of the National Society and has contributed vitally to the better quality of Branch work during the last three years. Mrs. Hall leaves a diocesan organization of 52 Branches and 36 Candidates Classes with a total membership of 2220, the largest G. F. S. diocese in the United States.

The annual Garden Party, that hardy perennial for a good time and treasury replenishment, again will be held at Sabine Farm, the home of Mrs. Winthrop C. Neilson, Route 23, Gladwyne. Supper will be served under the fine old trees, and useful articles and good things to eat will tempt the pocketbooks. Mrs. George Ashworth, of St. David's, Manayunk, and her committee extend a cordial invitation to all our diocesan people and their friends to share in this party. The date is Saturday, June 7.

The Leadership Training Conference for 1941 will be held at Holiday House, Cape May, Friday evening, June 20, to Sunday afternoon, June 22, under the chairmanship of Mrs. James C. Charlton, head of membership and Branch president of Christ Church and St. Michael's. There will be a distinguished faculty, including, in addition to Mrs. Samuel Edsall, vice-president of the G. F. S. in Province II, and Mrs. Norman H. Slack, national vice-president for Province III, and the regular G. F. S. leaders, Miss Gertrude Noar, principal of Gillespie Junior High School; the Rev. B. Janney Rudderow, chaplain of the conference; Mrs. John A. Eiseman, of Grace Church, Mt. Airy, and Miss Eloise Spencer, of the Germantown Y. W. C. A.

Miss Noar will discuss *How to Be a Successful Leader of Girls*; Mr. Rudderow, *The G. F. S. and the Present*; Mrs. Eiseman will have charge of dramatics, and Miss Spencer, games and recreation.

Mrs. Edsall, former national chairman of Worship and president of a large Branch in Geneva, N. Y., will close the conference on Sunday afternoon with a discussion of *Worship in the Branch and Development of Individual Spiritual Life*.

The Executive Committee of the G. F. S. in Province III met in Baltimore on May 8. Plans were laid for a much larger gathering in September, and the building up of a more active provincial program for the in-

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Our thanks for the pat on the back and our deep appreciation of the invaluable contribution the G. F. S. makes to the life of the Church.—
EDITOR.

Chester

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their respective military stations and to Mr. Powell, secretary-treasurer, who was kept from the meeting by illness. A resolution of appreciation was voted to Dr. Tuke, who, as chairman of the executive committee, had been performing the dean's duties.

The Rev. Dr. Charles W. Sheerin,

vice-president of the National Council, delivered a stirring address on the Forward in Service program with the development of worship and prayer as the basis of his theme. The Bishop addressed the members at luncheon.

South Philadelphia

Plans to survey the Federal housing project at 30th and Tasker Streets,

soon to be opened to 1000 families, with a view to Church extension, were put into motion at the South Philadelphia Convocation's spring meeting at Gloria Dei (Old Swedes') Church on May 27.

After considerable discussion in which the Rev. John E. Hill, the Rev. John Craig Roak and the Rev. Dr. Edgar C. Young took part, the Very

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Rev. Frank W. Bonyng, dean, appointed a committee to make a survey of the project and present lucid sta-

tistics at the fall meeting next October. The members of the committee are the Rev. Messrs. Roak, chairman, Hill, E. Frank Salmon, Thomas Parker and Joseph P. Morris.

While not a missionary of the convocation, the Rev. Dr. W. C. Emhardt,

vicar of the Pro-Cathedral of St. Mary, was invited to report on his work there. After describing the international character of the service the Pro-Cathedral renders, Dr. Emhardt concluded with a plea for help from the convocation in obtaining for his associate, the Rev. Dr. Thomas E. della Cioppa, an equitable adjustment of his stipend, which, he said, had been reduced from the minimum of \$2100 a year and a house to \$1620 and no

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house, with consequent hardships. The question of jurisdiction arose, but Dean Bonyngé promised to name a committee to investigate and make recommendations to the proper authority.

The convocation returned to Execu-

tive Council as its clerical and lay representatives the Rev. Thomas Parker, of St. Paul's Memorial, 15th and Porter Streets, and W. C. Kirk.

At dinner in the parish house, after

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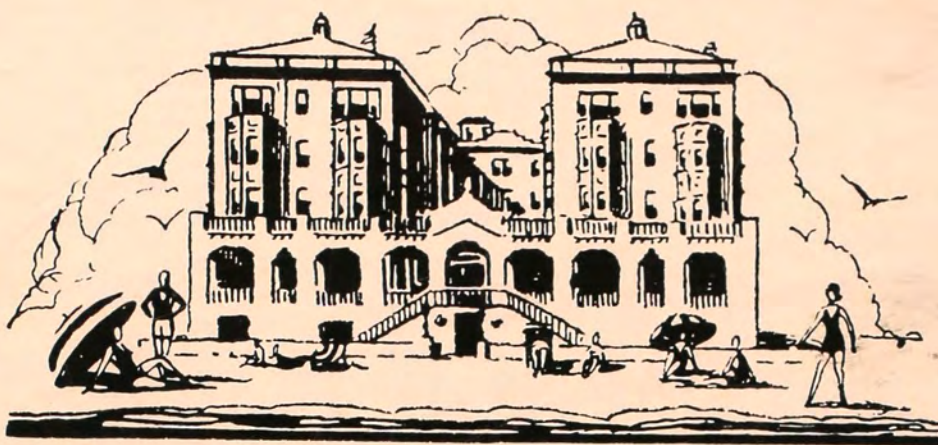
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